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## At last! Tunnel set to reopen next week

AFTER a full year of inspections, negotiations, recriminations and diversions, Beaminster Tunnel is to reopen.

Traffic will be allowed through the tunnel again at 10am on Monday, July 29th.

Horn Hill Tunnel, as it is also known, has been closed since July 7th last year when, during exceptionally heavy rainfall, a landslide blocked the road at the north entrance to the tunnel.

Ten days later the pile of fallen material was found to be covering a crushed car containing the bodies of Rosemary Snell and Michael Rolfe from Somerset, who had been travelling home through the tunnel when the landslide struck.

Inspections found further slips had occurred on the slopes over

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and around the tunnel, which links Bridport with Somerset and beyond, and which forms one of the main routes in and out of Beaminster.

The £2.1 million engineering works to stabilise the slopes were beset with delays while Dorset County Council negotiated with the four landowners on whose properties the essential engineering work was to be carried out.

More rainfall compounded the delays, limiting access to the affected areas.

What appeared to be slow progress led to angry calls from Beaminster businesses leaders

who blamed the tunnel closure for adding to the travails of a town already hit by slumping visitor numbers caused by the recession, continued bad weather and the negative effect of the Olympic Games.

There was further consternation as it emerged that DCC would be left footing the repair bill after the council's request for financial help from the Department for Transport was rejected.

As the months passed frustrations grew to the point where one of the area's most famous chefs, Masterchef winner Matt Follas, uprooted his Wild Garlic restaurant from the town square and re-

located 30 miles away, citing uncertainty about the tunnel's future as one of the factors informing his decision.

But engineers – headed by DCC's John Burrige and Matt Jones – persisted, eventually driving in more than 900 rods up to 12m (39ft) in length to stabilise the slopes, and reinforcing the stonework at the entrances of the 181-year-old structure.

Even as the last rods were being driven in, one landowner was reported to still be in negotiation with the council over the project, the conclusion of which stood to benefit many thousands of people.

But now, with just additional drainage works and slope re-seeding still to be completed, the UK's only pre-rail road tunnel still in use will finally allow traf-

fic through again on Monday.

In order to protect the workforce carrying out these last jobs, temporary traffic lights will control traffic through the 345ft (105m) long tunnel but these controls will only be in effect during off-peak times and not at all at weekends.

Beaminster County Councillor Rebecca Knox said: "This is great news for us all and particularly those who have been affected by the diversions – whether it was travelling them or living along the busy lanes that had to be used."

Beaminster Town Councillor Janet Page agreed, adding: "I think it's fantastic, and about time too."

Earlier in the year Beaminster Town Council discussed the pos-

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**ORIGINALLY** from London, Pete Linnett has moved to Wales, Exeter and Monkton Wyld before eventually settling in Lyme Regis in 1999, where he set up the Lyme Voices choir seven years ago.

Pete is a self-employed and, as well as Lyme Voices, is the musical director of Langport Community Choir and is launching a choir in Stockland this September. He also runs music and drama workshops for adults with disabilities and teaches music at Axminster Community Primary School.

He is married and has a teenage daughter.

## ● WHAT kind of music does the Lyme Voices choir perform?

The focus in Lyme Voices is not just on performance: it's also about having a good time singing together. The essential feature is it's all taught by ear (and supported by parts recordings), so a good whack of the songs come from the repertoires of cultures where harmony singing is something done by everyone, or is not just the province of musicians - it's people's music in some way.

For example Gospel and South African music have been formative for me and a recurrent part of our repertoire. We also sing lots of songs written or arranged by community choir leaders for community choirs like Lyme Voices, including classic pop and all sorts of songs from everywhere - Georgian, Balkans, British folk-song arrangements etc. I also arrange things myself.

## ● Tell us about your involvement in the recent 'Sing For Water' event in Bristol...

Sing for Water is a fundraiser for WaterAid that's been happening in various places around the country since 2002. Sing for Water West happens every two years in Bristol, but this is the first time we've taken part.

I was bowled over by the enthusiasm of the choir for taking part! I think the challenge and the whole fundraising aspect of it fired people up. We raised almost £200 from a busking event in Lyme (singing some of the Sing for Water songs), and choir members raised, we think, about another £300 from various projects - including hand-knitted socks and afternoon tea.

On the day we gathered with about 1,000 other singers at the Harbourside in Bristol and made a huge sound! More than £3,000 was collected in the buckets but most of the money raised comes from sponsorship, that's still being counted, but last time they raised £53,000.

● **How would you encourage others to join the choir?**  
I'd just say that anybody can sing and you'll find us a friendly and welcoming crowd. You don't need to have any previous experience of singing in harmony with others. My own experience is that it's uplifting and mood enhancing! Your first one is free, so you can try it out.

● **Do you have any more events coming up?**



Nothing is fixed yet, though there are various possibilities. We'll doubtless have some sort of Christmas event (sadly, I've been planning Christmas for a while!). We meet after the summer break on September 12th and I'd like to talk to people about how we follow Sing for Water.

● **Have you always been musical?**

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Of course, like everyone, I can sing but just never stopped. Music is one of those things I love and somehow need to do. I also play flutes, whistles and pipes, so over the years between gigs, ceilidhs, theatre and community choirs I've always been involved with music. The things that I do are often about bringing people together in some way, about music as a community activity, as something we do together.

## ● What are your other personal interests?

Increasingly I'm awe-struck by the rich diversity in our local environment. I'm particularly interested in the flowers, especially around Ware and along the water's edge, but anywhere, really. It's not about rare flowers for me - have a look at the thistles at the moment! I like literature, history and popular science books. I'm really enjoying doo-wop and that sort of thing from the 50s and 60s - though that's a bit work-related, too.

## ● What do you like about the local area?

That natural diversity I mentioned, plus I love to swim in the sea (in the summer!). I also love that feeling of being connected to all sorts of people that you get in a small, friendly place like this. Somehow all of us humans need to learn to get on with all and sundry. Of course we can have our problems, but there's a lot of knowledge in places like ours about how to do this.

## ● What would you like to add to or change about the local area if you could?

According to an article I read in the paper, Lyme Regis could fail new clean water standards coming in in two years time at Back Beach and we'll be obliged to display a warning to visitors! I'm hoping the council is on the case with this...

## ● Where is your ideal holiday destination and why?

Anywhere I've got some contacts to get me into the local area. We went to Tamil Nadu (in India) a couple of years back. Amazing place - not exactly your comfy holiday though! We go to Voice Camp every year - bit of a busman's holiday, there's so much singing and a great feeling of celebration. And there's a lot of opportunity to just hang out and chat. Of course, when the weather's good, camping is bliss. And when the weather's not good - well, that never happens in England!

## ● Which three guests would you invite to your dream dinner party?

I like pretty low-key events with friends, and the famous are famous for different reasons than friendliness. But I reckon Chaucer, Shakespeare and Joyce would be good value if a bit overwhelming - 3 big-hearted and very human geniuses. I reckon the wine bill would be a bit steep, though.

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## Colfox recognises its star students

THE Sir John Colfox School celebrated its star pupils – recognising special achievements among students.

The school's annual house prize-giving saw sponsors and community leaders joining heads of house and the senior leadership team to celebrate the successes and achievements for the year.

Headteacher Kay Taylor stressed that the school sees itself as being a key part of the local community and that she was delighted to see so many in the local community supporting the school.

She said: "This has been one of

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the most successful years for the house system. Competition has been intense, participation in events has been extremely high and all of those who have taken part have helped to create a positive and enjoyable ethos in the school."

The overall winner of the House Cup was Toro House, who beat Fleur de Lys by just a few points. The cup is sponsored by CG Fry and Son and was pre-

sented by Eddie Fry.

Individual prizes for outstanding achievements were awarded:

● Rachel Van Zyl won the Roger Draper award for Leading House Buddy.

She worked with some of the more vulnerable students in the lower school with sensitivity and is described as a good listener.

● Millie Langdon received the Mayor's Award for Rights Respecting Schools and Community work, presented by the Mayor, Councillor Maggie Ray. Millie has been active on the Bridport Youth Council this year, working to

make the initiative successful.

She was also one of three students representing the school on a cultural link to Srebrenica, Bosnia.

● Charlotte Herbert was awarded the School Leadership Award, sponsored by Kitson and Trotman and presented by Mr Jason Hodnett.

Charlotte is described as a great

role model to all students. She has taken on many leadership roles both for Toro House and on the sporting field.

● Scott Chudley was awarded the Lions Community Award presented by Don Morley of Bridport Lions.

Scott has put in over a 1,000 hours of voluntary work at the Weymouth and Portland Sailing

Academy. This has involved ensuring boats are fuelled and recovering dingy trolleys, as well as checking vital safety equipment.

Paul Middleton, Deputy Head, said: "I am immensely proud of the way our students take on roles of responsibility and are prepared to look after others within and outside of our school community."



▲ St Catherine's RC Primary School headteacher Frances Guppy with her schoolchildren

## School celebrates Ofsted report with ice creams

A BRIDPORT primary school head teacher was so happy with her school's latest Ofsted report that she gave each of the pupils a treat – a free ice cream.

Children at St Catherine's RC Primary School formed a long queue at the ice cream van parked in the school playground and were enjoying the reward of their successful inspection.

Headteacher Frances Guppy said: "It was a way to say thank you for all the hard work that has gone in to this – from staff, governors, parents and, of course, the children – it's a team effort.

"I am delighted with this report. The school is going from strength to strength and I am really pleased."

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## Tunnel re-opening

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sibility of marking the tunnel's reopening with a ceremony and even debated having a parade through the tunnel to mark the occasion.

But in deference to the tragedy that instigated the whole saga, and recognising the need to get back to business as usual as quickly as possible, the tunnel will reopen quietly and without fuss.

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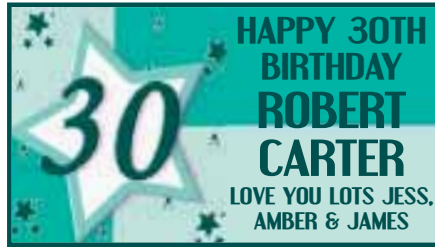
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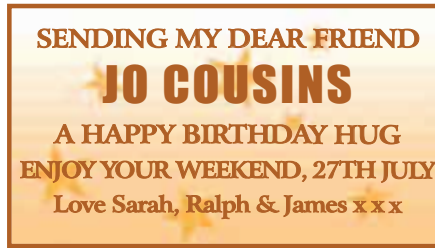
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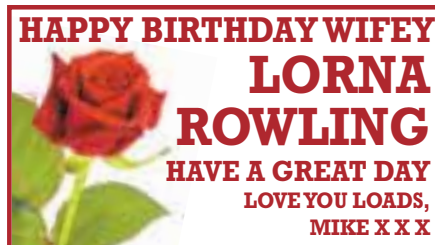
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## Police launch operation to help victims of crime

A NEW policing operation designed to improve the force's service to crime victims has been introduced in Dorset.

Launched in response to the Police and Crime Commissioner's police and crime plan, Operation Advance aims to increase positive outcomes for victims of crime to one in three by 2016.

A positive outcome is defined by new government measures as a sanctioned detection, community resolution (action taken in respect of minor crime, in line with a victim's needs) or restorative justice.

Operation Advance, includes a range of measures designed to:

- Continue to reduce crime;

- Target prolific offenders – a measure which, for example, has led to significant improvements in detecting burglary, with a detection rate of 22 per cent (year to date);

- Resolve crime in line with victims' expectations;

- Improve satisfaction, our communication with victims and ensuring they are kept updated at key stages throughout their case – an approach that will be supported in the near future through the introduction of a dedicated Victims' Bureau;

- Streamline how offenders are brought to justice, by reducing bureaucracy;

- Improve the 'Positive Outcome' detection rates and the proportion of offenders brought to justice.

Police and Crime Commissioner for Dorset Martyn Underhill said: "Operation Advance will give Dorset Police better tools to investigate volume crime more efficiently.

"I welcome the move towards a more streamlined service which is fundamental to solving more crime."

To ensure the force delivers these improvements, Dorset has recently appointed a Detective Superintendent, Kevin Connolly, to lead on all crime investigation.

## Host your own blooming great tea party

MARIE Curie Cancer Care is asking the people of West Dorset to hold a Blooming Great Tea Party this July to help raise funds for the charity.

It can be as simple as a cuppa with colleagues, a vintage inspired tea party or garden party with friends. It's a great way to get together with friends and family to do something easy and fun for charity.

The money raised from Blooming Great Tea Parties will help Marie Curie Nurses to provide more free care to people with terminal illnesses in their own homes.

Zoe Partridge, Somerset and Dorset Community Fundraiser, said: "Whether you're a dab hand at bak-

ing cakes or simply enjoying a cuppa with friends is more your cup of tea, holding a Blooming Great Tea Party is a fun way to get together and raise funds for an important cause.

"However big or small your tea party, by taking part you will be helping to raise the crucial funds that make it possible for Marie Curie Nurses to provide care for people with terminal illnesses at the time when they need it most."

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■ A GROUP supporting mothers with babies or toddlers, and mums-to-be has come to Bridport. Already established in Beaminster, 'Baby and Me' offers a friendly social space to come and meet other mums or expecting women. As well as the chance to have a cup of tea, a snack and a chat, the group offers help and support with and information on breastfeeding – whatever decision the mother has made on the issue. Held weekly (every Friday, from 1pm to 2:30pm) – even during the summer holidays – in the Children's Centre on Skilling Hill Road, the group is described as "relaxed and friendly". Members of the group have been trained by the charity Real Baby Milk and are all DBS checked. There is no cost to join or attend – a small donation can be given if desired but it is not obligatory.

## New food guide for Bridport

THE Bridport Local Food Group is publishing a brand new guide to food and drink in and around Bridport.

The 48 page booklet provides a comprehensive list of local businesses that produce and sell food and drink.

The Food Group, a committee of dedicated volunteers, organises the Bridport Food Festival each year to promote and celebrate the wide variety of local produce on offer in and around Bridport.

The guide has been produced to give food lovers and visitors to the

area a chance to discover and enjoy the wonderful food and drink on offer in the area throughout the year.

Marketing consultant Kathy Dare initiated the project. She said: "The aim was to create a guide that showcased to residents and visitors alike the amazing wealth of food and drink outlets and producers that we have in the area.

"We do live in an area that is rich with choice, whatever the culinary treat you are after – from breakfast, to afternoon tea, to fine dining, from coffee shops to pubs and

cocktails, takeaways, delicatessens, butchers and farm shops – the area has it covered.

"Being a modest lot, however, we are not great at bragging about it.

"It is hoped that this new guide, which we intend to produce annually, will be the first port of call for everyone."

The free guide will be available to pick up from Tourist Information Centres, holiday parks, etc, and will be downloadable as a pdf from [www.bridportfoodfestival.co.uk](http://www.bridportfoodfestival.co.uk) website



▲ West Dorset District Council chairman Gillian Summers with pupils from Bridport Primary school at the unveiling of their new cycle shelter

## New bike shelters for primary school

NEW cycle shelters have been unveiled at Bridport Primary as the school continues its drive to encourage cycling to school.

The new shelters were opened by Councillor Gillian Summers, chairman of West Dorset District Council, which provided some of the funding for the shelters.

To celebrate the occasion, the school organised a 'Bling Your Bike' day to add more colour to proceedings.

UK charity Sustrans has worked

with the school, pupils and parents since September 2012 to encourage children to choose pedal power for the school run.

During their recent Bike to School Week, the school saw between 60 and 100 pupils cycling and scooting to school each day.

Jonathan Dixon, Sustrans 'Bike It' officer for the school, said: "These new cycle shelters are great for everyone.

"They provide a safe place for children and staff to leave their

bikes and with more people cycling and scooting each day, the surrounding roads will be less congested too.

"It's great to see them being filled up already, and I'm sure it will encourage more to try the school journey by bike in future."

● SUSTRANS works with 22 schools in Dorset in partnership with Dorset County Council. For more information about Sustrans visit [www.sustrans.org.uk](http://www.sustrans.org.uk)



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# Radio Four debate show comes to Bridport

BRIDPORT got the chance to quiz political luminaries on the hot topics of the day when Radio 4's 'Any Questions?' came to town.

Hosted by Jonathan Dimbleby, the panel consisted of former Chancellor of the Exchequer Lord Lawson, former leader of the Liberal Democrats Lord Ashdown, Senior Rabbi and House of Lords crossbencher Baroness Julia Neuberger and Labour backbencher Kate Hoey MP.

Broadcast live from a packed, balmy Bridport Arts Centre – which co-hosted the evening alongside the Bridport Museum – there was plenty to get the crowd hot under the collar even without the soaring temperatures inside the theatre.

Questions on the UK's role in Europe, the Liverpool Care Pathway, proposals to rank the performance of primary school pupils, and concerns over health & safety excesses all induced vibrant debate among the pan-

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ellists and engaged a noisy, appreciative audience.

But it was Chit Chong – Green Party candidate for Marshwood Vale in the last county council elections – who really got the party started with his question on shale gas extraction.

He asked: "How can the 'greenest government ever' justify slashing taxes for fracking [the controversial process of extracting gas from shale, blamed for a range of environmental problems]?"

Even Paddy Ashdown's cautious acceptance that fracking might potentially offer some benefits brought boos and jeers from an audience who had been encouraged to be vociferous by the BBC's warm up man.

So when Nigel Lawson denied out-

right that there was any documented evidence of any environmental problems associated with the process, hackles – and heckles – were raised in the auditorium.

"Codswallop!" shouted one man. "Denier!" yelled a woman. Lord Lawson looked to rally his arguments as the condemnation continued to rain down.

He said the country should embrace the find – "Shale gas is the best news we've had in a long time" – and that people who claimed there were environmental problems attached to it "have no idea what they are talking about."

The jeers and outrage at this point became so rowdy that Mr Dimbleby had to calm down the stalls with a wave of the hand.

It all added to a lively, electric atmosphere – from then on spontaneous applause, and gasps of disagreement, punctuated the remainder of the 50 minutes until the broadcast went off air.

Speaking to the *View* afterwards, Mr Dimbleby said it had been "lively and fun" and that he always enjoyed coming to Bridport, while producer Lisa Jenkinson said it had been a "fantastic audience tonight."

Bridport Museum's Margaret Milree said: "It was brilliant. It was so nice to welcome them to Bridport and we were so pleased to work with the arts centre to make it happen."

Bridport Arts Centre's Polly Gifford agreed, adding: "I think it was fascinating. Bridport did itself proud."



▲ Polly Gifford of Bridport Arts Centre and Margaret Milree of Bridport Museum (standing) with the panel (seated): Lord Ashdown, Kate Hoey MP, Lord Lawson, chairman Jonathan Dimbleby and Baroness Neuberger



▲ The panel taking a question at Bridport Arts Centre

## WATAG meeting this Thursday

THE West Dorset Western Area Transport Action Group (WATAG) has announced its next bi-monthly meeting, which is open to all members of the public together with town and parish councillors interested in public transport matters.

The July meeting will discuss the future 31 timetable, the possibility of a winter X53 service and the loss of evening services – espe-

cially on Fridays and Saturdays.

Printed copies of the latest timetables may also be collected at the meeting.

Meetings are supported by local councillors from Dorset County Council, West Dorset District Council and Bridport Town Council, as well as parish councillors from villages being affected by service changes.

There is also time for a 'democra-

tic session' where any individual may raise questions about local bus and rail services which have not been covered.

This month's meeting is on Thursday, July 25th at the WI Hall, North Street, Bridport, from 6:30pm - 8:30pm.

For further details, please contact the WATAG chairman, Peter Smith, on 01308 424646 or email watag@hotmail.co.uk

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# eTicket facility for Melplash Show Arts Centre's youth theatre group to take part in NT Connections scheme in 2014

THE Melplash Agricultural Society is pleased to announce the introduction of a new e-ticket service, allowing visitors to the Melplash Show to buy and print their tickets online from the show's website - [www.melplashshow.co.uk](http://www.melplashshow.co.uk)

"The new e-ticket facility," said show secretary, Lucy Hart, "will make buying tickets through the website much simpler."

"Locally we are fortunate to have a number of local businesses that kindly sell advance tickets on our behalf and we also have tickets available to buy through the local Tourist Information Centres."

"However, the new e-ticket service will enable visitors to the show to buy tickets out-of-hours and also allow visitors from further afield to take advantage of the advance ticket discounts".

This year's show will once again

celebrate all that is great about farming and the countryside.

As well as being able to see a wonderful selection of farm animals, horses, ponies and donkey in competition, other attractions this year will include the spectacular Bolldog Ling Motorcycle Team - known for their death defying tricks - and a heavy horse display.

Regular attractions include the popular countryside area with terrier and ferret racing, gun dogs and rural crafts.

There will also be the fabulous food hall and the 'By-the-Sea' marquee, where you can savour local

produce and seafood as well as watching and picking up tips from local chefs in the cookery theatre.

On top of this, there will be horticultural, floral, handicraft and bee marquees - where there is always a fantastic display of exhibits - vintage tractors and motorbikes, a fun fair and over 300 trade stands.

Taking place on Thursday, August 22nd, the showground opens at 8am and the event is truly a fantastic day out for all the family.

● **Pre-Show Prices:** Adults - £11, First child (aged 5-15) accompanied by adult - Free; Additional children £4; Children under 5 are free.

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## Arts Centre's youth theatre group to take part in NT Connections scheme in 2014

BRIDPORT Arts Centre's BAC Stage Youth Theatre has been selected to take part in the prestigious National Theatre Connections Scheme in 2014.

The scheme, founded in 1995, is one of the largest youth theatre festivals in the world.

This year, 230 youth theatre companies were selected to perform 10 brand-new plays commissioned by the National Theatre from leading writers.

After extensive rehearsals during the winter, these were performed in theatres the length and breadth of the country during February and March.

Next year, the BACStage group will perform their play in Bridport followed by a transfer to a leading regional theatre.

The Connections scheme aims to:

- inspire 13-19 year olds with high-quality new playwriting;
- give companies the knowledge, skills and confidence to bring the plays to life;
- encourage young people to get involved in all aspects of theatre making.

The Bridport production will be directed by Niki McCretton, who runs the weekly BACStage class at

Bridport Arts Centre.

As part of the scheme, Niki will attend a weekend workshop for directors in London and the group will be visited by the playwright and a National Theatre Connections director.

Some of the playwrights for 2014 have already been announced and include Pauline McLynn, Sam Holcroft and Simon Vinnicombe.

Kate Wilson, Bridport Arts Centre's Learning Co-ordinator, said: "We are delighted BACStage has been chosen to take part in Connections 2014."

"It's a wonderful opportunity for young people who love theatre to be involved in something really special."

"It's not just actors we will be

looking for but a whole backstage crew too to make the production as professional as we can."

Details on how to get involved will be available in the autumn but young people can register their interest now by contacting Kate at [kate@bridport-arts.com](mailto:kate@bridport-arts.com)

Priority will be given to young people who currently attend BACStage and those attending the forthcoming summer school.

A few places are still available for the summer school which takes place at the arts centre between July 29th and August 2nd inclusive, between 10:30am and 4pm daily.

The cost is £65 for the week. Bookings can be made at the box office on 01308 424 204 or online at [bridport-arts.com](http://bridport-arts.com)

## Police appeal for witnesses

POLICE in Bridport are appealing for witnesses after a car was broken into while parked in a lay-by in the area.

Thieves smashed the rear window of a black BMW parked at Eggardon Hill some time between 5:45pm and 6:25pm on Saturday, July 13th. Nothing was stolen.

Anyone with information should call Dorset Police in confidence on 101, quoting incident number 13:470.

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# Fete raises £1,200 for church funds

GLORIOUS blue skies and sizzling temperatures helped Bothenhampton Church raise around £1,200 towards church funds with their annual summer fete last Saturday.

Large crowds helped make the event one of the most successful with plenty to do both inside the church and in the church grounds.

Besides the usual sideshows, in-

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cluding a Mad Hatters game and a human version of a slot machine with different types of headwear, there was music provided by the Durnovaria Silver Band from Dorchester and the Bothenhampton Handbell Ringers, whilst the

Bridport Dog Training Society once again delighted their audience with the new honed skills of both dog and owner.

When exhausted from the heat outside, there was a chance to keep cool inside the church where there was plenty to eat with cream teas and large slices of delicious cakes to gorge on, washed down with a cup of tea.



**LUCKY DIP** | Four-year-old Emmie Herring tries her luck on the tombola



**COME AND GET ME** | There were plenty of knitted toys to choose from at the Knit & Natter group stall



**PLENTY TO DO** | There were lots of stalls inside the church for the large crowd to browse

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**STRIKE UP THE BAND** | The Durnovaria Silver Band again gave a polished display of music



**IT'S A MYSTERY** | Manny Cox (11) and his sister Evie Cox (7) take a chance with a mystery prize



**WELL CHIMED** | The Team Rector of the Bridport Ministry, Rev Canon Andrew Evans, poses with the Bothenhampton Handbell Ringers who entertained the visitors inside the church



**GARDENERS WELL CATERED FOR** | There was a plant stall with plenty to buy



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# Stoke Abbott Street Fair is a real scorcher



▲ Mitch Norman leads the Sick Club Parade



▲ Alexia and Sophia Harmsworth in the Children's Games Garden



▲ Jo Stover, who organised the cream teas in the village hall



▲ Max Pagnamenta had his face painted like Spiderman



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THIS year's Stoke Abbott Street Fair was bathed in sunshine from start to finish, bringing in the crowds of locals and holidaymakers.

Proceedings kicked off in time-honoured tradition with the Sick Club Parade, led by the local fiddler, Mitch Norman, John Morey, the flag bearers and staff carriers.

It might have been too hot for the ferrets to race but there was plenty more for the visitors to enjoy, from a human fruit machine to a close encounter with Chippy the Barn Owl, spectacular cream teas to home-made ice-cream.

The children were able to meet the Fairy Godmother and let off steam with traditional games, face painting and the Slippery Horse in the beautiful garden at Puckhams – no surprise that fishing for ducks was the star attraction once again.

Other village stalls included Granny's Attic, the book barn, a second hand clothes stall, jams and cakes and some spectacular plants.

The family dog show had fewer entrants this year because of the intense heat but was still a popular attraction with plenty of proud owners parading their red rosettes!

Secretary Catherine Schrier, said: "There was

## by Catherine Leech

such a wonderful atmosphere and we were thrilled to see so many friends and families enjoying their day out.

"In such glorious weather, they could have chosen a day on the beach so we were thrilled to see them in

our lovely village.

"We really appreciate everyone's support – both stall holders and visitors."

There was more live music from the popular Rex Trevett Big Band and the day finished with a wonderful hog

roast and live music in The New Inn garden.

Proceeds from this year's event are still being counted up but should be in the region of £4,000, which will go to support the Village Hall, St Mary's Church and the Weldmar Hospice Trust with an additional donation to the RNLI.

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■ **CLOCKWISE** from top left: The Reverend David Baldwin, Beaminster Team Rector, meets Chippy the Barn Owl; Barbara Stewart and Angela Abayomi on the second hand clothes stall; Gypsy, winner of Special Puppy and Cleverest Trick in the dog show; Celia Rus on the plants stall; Anna Woodward, the Fairy Godmother, welcomes children to the games garden



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## Looking for Dorset's young business talent

THE 'Dorset's Got Talent' initiative will offer three young people in Dorset a business platform for showcasing their talent at this year's Dorset County Show.

The three chosen individuals will be selected by a panel of judges from the county. The winning candidate will be offered a free trade stand at the show or an area of the showground where they can perform their particular talent.

Any kind of talent is welcome but the individual must be aged between 18 and 25-years-old, live in Dorset and should be looking to turn their talent into a viable business.

Sam Mackenzie-Green, Dorset County Show secretary said: "There's so much young talent in Dorset but we recognise how hard it is, particularly in this current economic climate, for young people to get started in business.

"The Dorset County Show, which attracts 55,000, visitors per year, provides an extremely valuable vehicle for getting new businesses noticed and out there.

"We are hoping to get entries from all sorts of talented individuals across the county from farriers, potters, artists, hedge-layers, cake makers or even local bands. The sky's the limit."

Nominations are invited via the website at [www.dorsetcountyshow.co.uk/page/dorset+young+talent+competition](http://www.dorsetcountyshow.co.uk/page/dorset+young+talent+competition)

Candidates can nominate themselves or nominations can come via third parties. The nomination must be accompanied with details of age, address, the nature of the entrant's talent and why they are deserving of this opportunity.

A form is also available from the Dorset County Show headquarters in Dorchester.

Entries must be submitted by the closing date of August 19th. Winners will be announced on Friday, August 23rd.

# Explore the creepy house this summer

YOUNGSTERS around Dorset have the chance to embark on a spine-tingling adventure this summer, and get lost in a 'creepy house' of their imaginations.

Dorset County Council's libraries are again running their Summer Reading Challenge, giving children aged four to 11 a chance to read their way through the school holidays, taking part in a host of exciting events as they go. It's fun, it's fearsome, and it's totally free.

This year's challenge is based on the increasingly popular kind of books which thrill young readers without being too scary.

All children taking part will receive a free foldout poster, and be invited to join a gang of young detectives exploring the 'Creepy House,' discovering its secrets and meeting some of the hair-raising residents.

They will need all their courage as they investigate

clues and follow a trail through 'The Awful Upstairs,' 'The Frightful First Floor' and 'The Sinister Cellar'.

All they have to do is read six books of their choice over the summer, collecting stickers to add to their poster as they go.

If they successfully complete the challenge, they will be awarded a medal and certificate.

To add to the spooky fun, the library service will host a programme of exciting events and activities over the holidays.

Highlights include visits from award-winning writer Ali Sparkes, plus local authors Ron Dawson, Peter J Davidson and Sarah Lean, and a series of story-telling sessions.

Councillor Peter Finney, Cabinet member for community services at Dorset County Council, said: "The Summer Reading Challenge is a wonderful initiative

- what could be better than getting children into libraries? The challenge is all about encouraging children to read for fun, building up their love of books and improving their reading skills.

"Each year the Summer Reading Challenge helps get three quarters of a million children into libraries to keep up their reading skills and confidence."

More information about the reading challenge can be found at [www.dorsetforyou.com/libraries](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/libraries)

● DORSET Libraries are also looking for young people aged 16-25 to volunteer as Summer Reading Challenge Champions at libraries throughout the county.

They will chat to children about books and get involved in a variety of fun events.

If you have ten hours or more to spare before September 8th and would like to help out, log on to [www.dorsetforyou.com/librariesyoungadults](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/librariesyoungadults) for more information and an online application form.

## Hospital restaurant gets five star rating for third year

■ DORSET County Hospital's Damers Restaurant has received top marks for food safety and hygiene for the third year in a row.

Environmental health inspectors awarded the restaurant and kitchen five stars following a recent inspection.

Their inspection included food hygiene and safety of food, cleanliness and structural conditions and confidence in management.

Hospital Catering Services Manager, Derrick Stevens, said: "The award of the five star food hygiene rating for the third consecutive year is a great achievement for the catering department and it demonstrates the importance that we give to food safety and the care of our patients and customers within Damers Restaurant.

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# These dishes will blow you away

**A**MONG committed carnivores like myself, vegetarian cuisine is too often dismissed in trite expressions such as "a handful of nuts and pulses" – or reference to the much maligned "nut roast".

If you recognise yourself in that last sentence, it's time to take a stroll into old Lyme and allow your stereotype prejudices to be blown away in a frenzy of flavours at the delightfully friendly **Tierra Kitchen** in Coombe Street, formerly the Lobster Pot and in my childhood Wheadons Dairy where you could still buy milk straight from the cow.

As this was our first full vegetarian dining experience we thought it would be good to take along someone who knew what to expect so we invited freelance journalist Geoff Baker, who worked for one of the world's most high profile vegetarians, Beatle Paul McCartney, and has dined and some of the best veggie restaurants on this earth.

Geoff, who gives his view on the Tierra Kitchen at the foot of this column, brought along partner Jill Newton, our new town councillor, who is not a strict vegetarian but is a great advocate of a vegetarian diet.

We could not have been made more welcome when we arrived at the Tierra by waitress Cara Fachau, who is a vegetarian, and manager Ciprian Constantinecu, formerly one of Mark Hix's restaurant managers who is greatly enjoying the experience of running a more intimate family concern.

Owner Mark Evans, who previously ran the award-winning vegetarian restaurant, Café-Maitreya, in Bristol for ten years before moving his young family to the Lyme area and acquiring the Tierra Kitchen premises in Coombe Street, talked us through some of the dishes we had chosen and explained how he intends to expand the business by relocating the kitchen to the cellar to extend to the

## EATING OUT IN LYME with Philip Evans (and Geoff Baker)

number of covers in the restaurant. As this was a new dining experience for us we were quite excited about our visit to the Tierra and checked the daily menu for a few days beforehand so we could see what menu choices we had.

Whilst poring over the menu, with Spanish, French and North African influences, we were served with a selection of home-made breads and juicy olives, but I had already made up my mind to start with the chilled honey-dew melon, pea and mint soup at (£6). At the last moment I switched to the basil and tomato soup (£5.50) from the lunchtime



■ **VACARO and almond ravioli with fine marinated fennel, mango, tomato and chilli salsa**

menu. It did not disappoint.

For their starters, Jill chose the goats cheese and tarragon soufflé with baby roast beetroot and raspberry vinegar (£6) and Jackie plumped for the wild mushroom and khol rabi ceviche with roast peanuts, lemon grass and coriander (£7).

Geoff selected the feta and marjoram all butter pastry galette served with red pepper and chilli ice-cream, declaring the ice-cream to be the most delicious he had ever taken.

Whilst we all agreed that our meal had got off to an impressive start, I was left to ponder on the combination of ice-cream and chilli with a starter!

The mains section offered four different dishes, priced at £11.50 or £12. Jackie ordered the Lyme Bay warm salad with crispy new potatoes, samphire, sea kale and legumes served with roast cashew nuts, cherry tomatoes and halloumi. Geoff and Jill both went for the aubergine and Applewood cheddar snitzel with crispy cous cous and a cherry and anise dressing.

### Absolutely stunning

I was tempted by the avocado and almond ravioli, thinking it to be a pasta dish. It turned out the term was used because the avocado acted as the edible pouch for fine marinated fennel, mango, tomato and chilli salsa. But I certainly didn't feel cheated, especially after the explosion of flavours the avocado was harbouring. The presentation of all dishes was absolutely stunning, an art form in fact.

I'm ashamed to say that as a safety net not to be going home hungry, I ordered a side order of triple cooked chips (£3.20) with home cooked tomato sauce which in the end I hardly touched. Other side dishes included sea kale with toasted goats cheese (£5) and an organic mixed leaf salad with lemon and thyme dressing and pumpkin seeds (£3.80).

I have a notorious sweet tooth (bit of a problem for a diabetic) and headed straight for the white chocolate, hazelnut and strawberry torte with strawberry sorbet – the best six quid's worth I've had for a long time. Perhaps I should have chosen the new season cherries with almond cream and elderflower sorbet or the Ilminster strawberries, raspberries and apricots served with clotted cream ice-cream, marginally more suitable for someone with my girth.

Geoff and Jill skipped the sweet course but I persuaded Jackie to try the apricot with almond tart served with caramel ice-cream in the cause of being able to give our readers a flavour of the full menu. WE suffer for our art!

The Tierra Kitchen serve cakes and teas from 11 am to 3 pm with a more than adequate lunch/brunch, available during the same period with dishes such as a three free range omelette with sliced new potatoes, sun blushed tomatoes and Dorset red cheese (£7.50), crispy falafel and hummus (£7.50) or the Lyme Regis Mezze – hummus, tomato relish, crispy falafels, Da Vinci olives and mango salsa.

The Tierra offers a range of organic cordials, pre-dinner beers and ciders and a more than adequate wine list, ranging in price from £14.50 to £20, aperitifs and digestives. There's a nice touch also in that for every bottle of freshly chilled water a £1 donation is given to the Weldmar Hospiscare Trust.



■ **LYME Bay warm salad with crispy new potatoes, samphire, sea kale and legumes served with roast cashew nuts, cherry tomatoes and halloumi**

All dishes served are suitable for vegetarians with the menu indicating which dishes are suitable for vegans and those which are gluten free.

Geoff, the expert, waxed lyrical about the quality of the food and at last Lyme had a vegetarian restaurant to enhance the town's growing reputation as an emerging foodie resort.

My own view? The texture of the dishes I tasted were a pleasant change to my usual diet but I was knocked out by the presentation and different flavours, some of which I had never tasted before. It was an enjoyable dining experience – and one which we hope to repeat.

**The Tierra Kitchen, 1a Coombe Street, Lyme Regis, DT7 3PY. For bookings telephone 01297 445189. Full information on website: [www.tierrakitchen.co.uk](http://www.tierrakitchen.co.uk). Children's menu available.**



■ **OWNER Mark Evans pictured outside the Tierra Kitchen with manager Ciprian Constantinecu and waitress Kara Fachau**

'Up there with the best' – says Geoff Baker

**WE** vegetarians have a saying which we tend to use when we're mocked by omnivores for "eating rabbit food". The phrase goes, "if slaughterhouses had glass walls, we'd all be vegetarian". Having visited a slaughterhouse, I have complete conviction that the claim of is true.

But the phrase was invented in the last century; when I first became vegetarian, when meatfree eating-out in Britain was in the culinary Dark Ages and before medical research had revealed that red meat will give you many more hearts attacks than an asparagus spear.


Thanks to the pioneering recipe work of a handful of cooks including Rose Elliott, my friend Linda McCartney and, more recently, our own Hugh Fearnley-Whittingstall with his superb River Cottage Veg Everyday, vegetarian eating-out is no longer medieval in Britain.

But it has been backwatered in Lyme. I've sought

out fine veggie eating here since 1979 and the offerings have largely been rubbish. Unless it was Asian, typical veggie options in the town have been evidently pre-packed stuffs heated in the microwave, simplistic tarts or something that you can tell has been gashed together from the leftovers of the veg bought as accompaniments for meaty main courses. Sadly, a lot of cooks still seem to believe that a cheese and onion pasty is some sort of treat for a veggie.

But just like electric light, cordon vert dining has eventually come to Lyme – and how. Due to the luck of one of my previous jobs, I have eaten in many of the finest vegetarian restaurants in the world – and with some experience I'd say that Tierra in Coombe Street is up there among them for meals of top 21st Century taste

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# Top accolade for Di and her prize alpaca

DI DAVIES had already won a number of awards for her alpacas at shows around the country, but when her prize animal was named Supreme Champion this year, it was her proudest moment yet.

With about 60 animals on her 15 acre farm – Alpha Alpacas in Melpash – Di is still considered a small producer.

But she has earned her right to be considered up there at the top among all alpaca farmers in the UK.

By naming Di's alpaca the best in the country – ahead of more than 300 specimens handpicked from thousands of the farmed animals – the British Alpaca Society was recognising 14 years' work in fulfilling a childhood ambition.

Although Di left school to follow in her parents' footsteps and join the army she had secretly harboured an ambition to be a farmer.

She said: "I'd wanted to be a farmer ever since I was a child. I always loved animals."

by Chris Denne  
chris@pemedial.co.uk

"But at school in the Seventies if I had said 'I want to be a famer' they would have told me 'well, go marry one then!' - it just wasn't a career I could follow."

What did follow was 33 years in the army – a career which Di says she now draws on when she organises her own alpaca shows.

Originally from South America, but selectively bred and exported now from Australia, alpacas are reared for their high quality wool which is finer than sheep's wool and as strong as silk.

Females are fertile as long as they are not pregnant and can be ready to breed again just two weeks after giving birth.

But an 11 month gestation period and an inability to be artificially inseminated means a lot of care goes into rearing the small woolly camel-like creatures.

Incredibly sociable, alpacas need company, and a solitary individual who

has no contact with other alpacas will give up the will to live and die.

Such is the allure of these extraordinary creatures that Di is now offering tours of her farm so that people may find out more about – and experience first hand – alpacas.

The Alpha Alpaca Experience offers visitors the chance to hear all about the animals before going on a farm walk to meet the animals.

A Dorset Apple Cake cream tea – courtesy of the Pymore Inn, and with tea provided by Clipper – is followed by the chance to take one of the alpacas for a walk.

Children go home with a key-ring memento and a sample of 'fairy floss' – selected fibres from the animals' wool.

Di said: "People are really enjoying these visits. One group came twice in the same week, they loved it so much."

To book, phone The Pymore Inn on 01308 422625. Tickets cost £10.



TOP AWARD | Di Davies and her alpacas



## Wheelchair dancing demo this Saturday

THERE is a Ballroom and Latin dance group coming to Dorset for wheelchair users that also involves carers, friends and family.

Wheel Keep Dancing has a fundraising event taking place on Saturday (July 27th) at Bucky Doo Square, Bridport.

There will be a charity stall selling a variety of items and demonstrations of wheelchair dancing at 11am and midday on the arts centre forecourt.

Glenn Bayliss, who is a qualified instructor with Wheelchair Dance Sport Association UK, will be showing off his moves with his dance partner Angie Golding.

Wheel Keep Dancing are fundraising for wheelchairs and have received some funding from Healthwatch Dorset, but the group also need to keep raising funds to sustain the classes which are due to start in September.

If you are interested in taking part in a class as a participant or volunteer or would like to donate to the group then please contact Glenn or Angie on 07570 404509, email wheelkeepdancing@hotmail.co.uk, follow them on Twitter @wkddorset or find them on Facebook.com/WheelKeepDancing

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## A day out on the railway



THE Bridport and District Model Railway Club will be holding their annual Summer Exhibition in the United Church Hall in East Street, Bridport this Saturday (July 27th) from 10am until 5pm.

Visitors will be able to view a wide variety of layouts in various gauges and themes, from both local exhibitors and those coming from farther afield.

These will include a most interesting layout called 'Squeezebelly Lane' from Kingsbridge in

Devon. This simple layout is built into a small suitcase size display box controlled from within the armchair which could easily be placed in your lounge and is entirely new to the exhibition circuit.

There will also be a narrow gauge layout called 'Purbeck' from Verwood and is based on that area of East Dorset.

The larger scale will be represented by a layout called 'Flintcombe' - which comes from Wimborne - and depicts the

wonderful West Dorset countryside of Thomas Hardy.

As this year celebrates the anniversary of the Coronation of HM The Queen, there will be a small display about the Royal Train, including a representative model for visitors to view.

There will be demonstrations, trade stands and refreshments available throughout the day.

Everyone is welcome and there are discounted prices for family groups.

## Glovers fan Tom stars in new Sky Sports advert

ANYONE watching the new Sky Sports advert promoting the new season and marking the 125th anniversary of the Football League might have blinked twice when they noticed Bridport's Tom Burt on their screen.

Tom who is an avid Glovers fan was asked to take part in the 30 second ad featuring supporters from a number of league clubs around the country, and makes a short appearance with the words, 'Little Yeovil Town,' referring to the clubs promotion to the Championship last season despite the town having one of the smallest population's of any of the 72 league clubs.

"Sky were looking for fans to help make the promotional ad, and contacted David Munns, a member of the Yeovil Town Disabled Supporters Association, and he invited me and some other disabled fans to take part," said Tom.

The 67-year-old who is the founder member of the Green & White Supporters Club (Bridport branch) then spent the day at Huish Park with a recording team from Sky Sports who asked him a few questions about his love of the club, from which they chose the sound bite which appears in the ad.

"It was a very interesting and enjoyable day and something I was not expecting."

There is a healthy Glovers fan club in Bridport with around 50 members, and Tom organises trips to many of the club's away games.

Last season, with generous support from local organisations and individuals, Bridport fans were able to travel to around 15 of the 23 games as well as to Wembley to see the League One Play-Off Final, some 5,500 miles.

"With fuel it costs around £150 for a minibus to an away game, and so we are extremely grateful to our sponsors who help with financial support. Travelling

numbers vary depending on supporters' commitments between around 20 and 40, but we all have a great time, and are keen to expand our numbers.

"If there is anyone who would like to join us, or indeed anyone who would like to sponsor us, they can contact me on 01308 456145 or 07971 096662."

● Sky Bet has become the new sponsor of the Football League following a deal struck last week.



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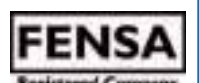
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**A View from Lyme Regis Advertising Supplement**

# Two weeks of thrills, fun and frolics as Lyme goes native

By Philip Evans

**L**YME Regis is bracing itself for the resort's two busiest weeks of the year - Lifeboat Week and the annual Regatta & Carnival.

Usually a week separates the two big summer attractions for the town to take a breather, but this year, as happens occasionally because of the tides, they are running back-to-back.

Lifeboat Week always coincides with the start of the school summer holidays and attracts thousands of people to the town to witness a spectacular programme of air and aquatic events. This year's programme, which starts on Friday (July 28th) with a display by the RAF's crack aerobatic team, The Red Arrows, will be no exception.

Regatta & Carnival offers a week of more traditional seaside activities, very much geared to family entertainment included some old favourites



■ THE Red Arrows perform their intricate manoeuvres over Lyme Bay last year

such as the torchlight processions and grand carnival procession.

With the heatwave looking set to continue for the rest of this week, a huge crowd is expected as always for the appearance of the fantastic Red Arrows.

The dare-devil pilots on their sleek red flying machines have been regular visitors to Lyme since the 1970s when they first roared into over the Bay as part of the regatta programme but since then have become the focal point of Lifeboat Week, helping to raise tens of thousands of pounds for the RNLI.

It is said that Lyme, surrounded by its cliff-top vantage points, provides one of the best natural arenas to watch the world famous aerobatic team and a crowd of up to 25,000 is expected if the weather stays fine.

Lyme Regis Town Council have already issued a statement urging people to come into the town as early as possible for the 12 noon commence-

ment of the 20-30 minute display.

Later on Friday, at around 3.30 pm, the aerial theme continues with the return of the RAF Falcon parachute team who will be dropping in to the Cobb beach with the salute taken by Group Captain Brian Lavender, a retired fighter pilot who loves at Kilmington.

The Regatta & Carnival programme kicks off on Saturday, August 3rd and boasts no fewer than 65 different events during a week of family fun and games, including such crazy events as egg catching, junk boat racing and scooter hillclimbing.

Both Lifeboat Week, the biggest event of its kind on the South Coast, and the Regatta & Carnival are organised by volunteers. All funds from Lifeboat Week go towards helping to fund the RNLI and profits from the Regatta & Carnival are ploughed back into local organisations and worthy causes.

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# Fun and variety is key to Lifeboat Week

ORGANISERS of this year's Lifeboat Week in Lyme Regis are promising thousands of visitors an even more varied programme of events...and aiming to at least equal last year's record £40,000 total for the RNLI charity.

This year the week runs from Friday to Friday – July 26th to August 2nd.

And it gets off to a flying start on the first day with the Red Arrows

scheduled for 12noon followed later in the afternoon by the RAF Falcons parachute display team who are due to drop in at 3.30pm.

There are a number of new musical events, and for the first time a kite making workshop, and Snakes Alive at Uplyme Village Hall where snakes, exotic reptiles and a toad as big as a dinner plate will be on show and explained by experts.

Secretary of the organising group, the Lyme Regis and Charmouth RNLI Guild, Carys Lowe, said: "We've got all the favourites as usual, of course, including the bath tub race, the belly dancers, sand sports, the barn dance, yard of ale competition, children's crab fishing contest and the grand duck race

"Full details of events day by day are in our new look programme which is now available throughout the town, priced £1.50.

"There will be plenty of car parking but we would urge people to use park and ride which will be operating

from both ends of the town in Charmouth Road and Sidmouth Road.

"We are looking forward to a fabulous and safe week with the weather on our side.

"We rely on our supporters, local organisations, the town council and emergency services to help us make the week a safe and successful one."

Updates about Lifeboat Week will appear on the Facebook page and on twitter, and anyone who would like to volunteer to help in any capacity can contact Carys Lowe on 01297 442448

UPLYME and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society is hosting a gathering of cold-blooded vertebrates at Uplyme Village Hall on Wednesday, July 31 at 7.30pm. Hear their keeper, from Tiny Boas of Exeter, talk about his universally-feared charges and learn how loveable they really are. Tickets for the talk 'Snakes Alive': adults £3.00, under-16s £1, in aid of RNLI during Lyme's Lifeboat Week, from Uplyme Post Office and the RNLI shop in Lyme Regis, or ring Brian Cursley 07831 533580. Dare you go?

## Emergency services gig race

THE Lyme Regis and Charmouth Emergency Services are racing in a Gig Challenge on Sunday, July 28th at 7pm as part of Lyme Regis Lifeboat Week.

The four crews racing are volunteers from the town's Coastguard, RNLI, Dorset Fire & Rescue and Gig Club.

Each team of six will have their own gig and be racing for 600 meters seaward of the swim buoys.

Spectators will be able to see the gruelling 600 meter contest from the main beach and the Lister and Langmore Gardens.

The race is the inaugural annual challenge for The Harbour Inn Challenge Cup and the crews from the emergency services and the Gig Club have been training hard.

There is a Emergency Services Gig Race Sweepstake and Guess The Winning Time with proceeds going to the RNLI a with the winner receiving a £25 voucher from the RNLI shop, at The Cobb, where tickets can be purchased.



■ THE West Cobb Community team in last year's bath tub race

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REGATTA and Carnival Week will culminate with the annual Grand Carnival procession on Saturday, August 10th.

The procession will set off from Holmbush Car Park at 8pm, heading down Broad Street and along Marine Parade.

Judging will be held at the start line from 7.30pm and all local businesses, clubs, groups and families are invited to join in, as well as visitors.

The procession will be followed by local band Half Jack playing in the Marine Parade shelters and a fireworks display at 10pm.

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■ CARNIVAL TIME: Pictured above, entries in last year's procession

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# Lyme Regis

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## Folk Pop Up Cafe & The Stage Door Bar

**WORKING** together Folk Pop Up Cafe and The Marine Theatre's Stage Door bar will be open for refreshment and snacks in the daytime throughout the summer holidays.

Folk Pop Up Cafe is a colourful alfresco coffee lounge offering tasty local, home-made refreshment and snacks, all served from the back of a bright yellow campervan! With an espresso machine in the boot you can relax with a locally roasted, freshly ground coffee, home-made cordial or locally pressed apple juice, Purbecks icecream or an organic fruit ice lolly on our sofa. Filled flatbreads for only £3, freshly baked treats, and cream tea picnics in a box are available to those looking for an alfresco lunch option.

The Marine Theatre's Stage Door Bar has already got a reputation as the quirkiest bar in Lyme, and the balcony with the best view in town will be open in conjunction with Folk for a cold beer or a jug of Pimms in the sun throughout the holidays.

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our local suppliers, with lots of clear dietary information for our gluten free, dairy free, vegetarian and vegan friends! Pop in and see what's new pussy cat!

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During Lifeboat Week, Amid Giants & Idols will be raising money for the RNLI through a 'Guess How Many Beans in the Bowl' competition. There are some great prizes to be won – pop in, make a donation and have a guess!



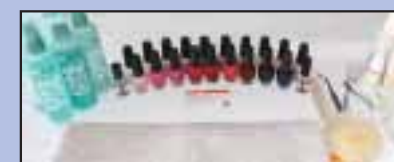
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Plus the shop currently has a new range of Manuka Honey Skincare from New Zealand.

Why not visit the shop, they are open Monday to Saturday 10.00am to 5.00pm, to see if you can indulge yourself at bath time or there are some lovely gifts and treats for friends and loved ones, you can also order online at [www.lymewash.co.uk](http://www.lymewash.co.uk)

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Events include a huge number of children's activities, including a teddy bear's picnic and parachute jump, treasure hunts on the beach, pavement art, sandcastle competition, sand sports and a junior town crier's competition, just to mention a few.

But don't worry, there's always something for the older ones, with a highlight of the week always being the Wheeled Derby (pictured below), this year on Monday, August 15th, starting outside the Ship Inn at 7pm. This traditional Lyme event sees pairs in fancy dress race along Coombe Street and Marine Parade, one pushed in a pram,

wheelchair or wheelbarrow, and both drinking half a pint at each pub along the route.

Other highlights will include the popular Joshua Memorial Family Dog Show at the Marine Parade shelters at 2pm on Sunday, August 4th, and the spectacular Walk of Light torchlight procession on Thursday, August 8th, starting at the Pound Street entrance of Langmoor Gardens at 9pm, with torches on sale from 8.30pm. This will be followed by the Blackdown Samba Band on Marine Parade.

Don't forget the duck race finishing the week off on Sunday, August 11th, starting at Windsor Terrace at 12noon.



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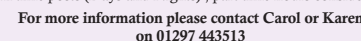
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## THE TRUNK OF FUNK COMES TO BRIDPORT

*Craig Charles brings his Funk & Soul show to the Electric Palace*

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### THE GIGS

#### Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July

Dorchester Arts Centre, Dorchester  
**Nick Capaldi** Doors 7.30pm  
Tickets £5

#### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July

The Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
**The Perfect Strangers** 9pm

Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
**The Spooky Men's Chorale** 8pm  
Tickets £18/£17/£15.

The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT

#### Tripod

9.30pm

#### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July

The Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
**Devil's Duo** 4pm

The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
**Smith & Moore**  
4-6pm

#### Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> August

115 Club, BRIDPORT

**Ray D'Inverno, Tony Roberts & Pete Maxfield.**

Buffet dinner 7pm for 7.30pm. Performance till 11pm. Must be pre-booked.

#### Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS  
**Club Night: Summer Sounds**

8pm-1am  
Tickets £6.50. Over 18s only.

#### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS  
**Whole Lotta Led** Doors 7.45pm  
Tickets £14/£12

The Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
**Delta Tango 7** 9pm

The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT

**Facemelter**

9.30pm

#### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August

The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT

#### Jamming at the Crown 4-9pm

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**John De Barra**  
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#### Friday 9<sup>th</sup> August

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT  
**Limehouse Lizzy** Doors 7pm  
Tickets £15.50 +bf adv / £17 on the door.

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS  
**Lekan Babalola and the Afrobeat Messengers**

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Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT

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## CRAIG CHARLES BRINGS HIS TRUNK OF FUNK TO THE PALACE

The BBC 6Music DJ comes to Bridport

BRINGING you the best there is in Soul and Funk mixed in with a little Acid Jazz and a healthy dose of Northern Soul, Craig Charles comes to raise the roof of Bridport's Electric Palace on Saturday, August 10th with his Funk & Soul show.

Craig Charles is many things. At one time or another, he's shown his talents as a performance poet, stand-up comedian, presenter, musician and actor. Broadcasting for 10 years on BBC 6Music with their primetime Saturday night Funk & Soul Show, Craig has gone from strength to strength as one of the UK's best loved Funk & Soul DJs. He has a depth of musical knowledge and an extensive catalogue of records to draw upon, to make for a superb night of funk, pop and soul classics.

"When BBC 6Music asked me to do a radio show I only had one condition: it had to be a funk & soul show otherwise I wasn't interested". And so the Craig Charles Funk & Soul Show came to being, right at the very start of 6Music in March 2002. Currently live every Saturday night for 3 hours on one of the nation's most loved music radio stations has garnered Craig global support as one of the UK's foremost Funk and Soul commentators, DJs and promoters of new music. "Since its inception I have been interested in all varieties of soul and funk music, without imposing any barriers and I am just as enthusiastic about fresh new talent as I am about the classic artists from the golden age of the 60s and 70s".

Behind the decks of his live sets, Craig Charles enjoys himself on stage as much as those on a packed dance floor, with his familiarly charismatic persona the ideal accompaniment to his selections; his energetic and zestful exuberance infec-

tious. Craig's work is steeped in the musical history of his hometown of Liverpool, the tradition of Northern soul and the legacy of the Madchester era.

There will be support ahead of Craig's set. Get your dancing shoes on and prepare to throw some funky shapes at the Electric Palace! Advance tickets are £13 plus booking fee, available from Bridport Tourist Information Centre (01308 424901) and www.seetickets.com, or £15 on the door (if available). Advance booking is recommended to avoid disappointment - tickets are already selling fast!

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## SUMMER SOUNDS

A night of electro swing, hip hop, drum & bass, ska, dub and more at the Marine Theatre

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We have 3 DJs playing you a mix of electro swing, hip hop, jump up, drum and bass, ska and dub.

The line-up includes DJB, with his love for Ska 80s and a good bass line, LA Breakout (king of scratch) and Andy P, who has played along side scratch perverts, danny byrd, mr scruff and ugly duckling, as well as playing live hip hop with a full band. There is no music these guys can not pull out there record box... So put on your dancing shoes and do not

miss this night!

DJs:

**La Breakout** - hip hop, electro swing, scratch and brake beat

**Andy P** - hip hop, drum and bass, jump up, old school

**DJB** - ska, indie, 80s Dub

Club Night: Summer Sounds takes place at the Marine Theatre from Friday, August 2nd from 8pm - 1am.

All tickets cost £6.50. Strictly Over 18s Only





## Very Austentatious!

"AUSTENTATIOUS: An Improvised Novel" is a comedy play spun in the inimitable style of Jane Austen – and based entirely on audience suggestions!

Following a five-star run at the Edinburgh Fringe, the cast of "Austentatious" are delighted to bring their show to the Marine Theatre. They offer you an eloquent, irreverent and 100% improvised take on the works of Britain's best-loved novelist.

Performed in period costume with live cello accompaniment, "Austentatious" is an immersive and hilarious treat for fans of Austen and improvised comedy alike. Previous titles have included "Pride and Predator", "Northanger Rabbi", and "Darcy Does Dallas". Join us for an impromptu literary masterpiece!

'Austentatious' An Improvised Novel' will be performed at the Marine Theatre on Saturday, July 27th from 7.30pm.

Tickets cost £12 (full), £10 (concessions), £7 (under 16s) or £30 for a family ticket (2 full price and 2 concessions/under 16s.) A TheatreFriends discount is available

For more details call 01297 442138 or online at [www.marinetheatre.org.uk](http://www.marinetheatre.org.uk)

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## Tango in West Dorset

ARE you over 50?

Do you fancy learning Argentine Tango?

David Conroy and Eric Dell are looking to put together a bid to Dorset POPP (Partners in Older People's Programme) for funding to set up an Argentine Tango group in West Dorset, and they'd like to hear from anyone

interested.

While principally for the over 50s they would also like to hear from younger people, aged 16 to 25, who fancy learning this exciting dance so that we can achieve a generation mix. You don't need a partner.

The group will meet

early evening in Bridport and will arrange expert tuition.

The hope is to start some time in October/November but need to establish the demand urgently.

Please contact: David Conroy on 07702 646940 or Eric Dell on 07957 615983.

## Workshops in the Palace Friends' Room

FOLLOWING a successful first workshop in the Electric Palace's recently refurbished workshop space last weekend, the next series of workshops look set to be a scorcher.

During the summer holidays, local theatre maker and workshop leader Sarah Butterworth will be leading a series of creative making workshops ahead of Bridport Carnival, suitable for children and adults. Come and get creative!

The first of Sarah's workshops is a three-day course from Monday, July 29th – Wednesday, July 31st, 10am – 3pm. Come and build a giant 'fool' for the carnival, or take it home for your garden. Work with Sarah to build your very own colourful character in willow. Lights can be put inside your fools to make them glow at night. All ages are welcome, though under 10's must be accompanied by an adult. Places on the 3-day course are £50 each; please book in advance by emailing [sarah@emeraldant.com](mailto:sarah@emeraldant.com) and don't forget to wear some overalls!

Carnival Hat Making takes place on Tuesday, August 13th, with two session options: 10am-12noon or 2-4pm. Come and make a hat for Bridport Carnival! Working with Sarah use foam, collage, bits and bobs to

create resplendent headwear. Open to all ages but under 10s must be accompanied by an adult. Please book through [sarah@emeraldant.com](mailto:sarah@emeraldant.com) – places cost just £6 each.

Willow Fools with Sarah takes place on Thursday, August 14th, 10am-3pm. Come and make a fool on a stick for Bridport Carnival, or take it home. Working with Sarah, you will work in willow and tissue paper. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Sarah's costumes, puppets and other gizmos can be seen at [www.flickr.com/photos/emeraldantics](http://www.flickr.com/photos/emeraldantics) Please book through [sarah@emeraldant.com](mailto:sarah@emeraldant.com) – places are £20 each.

The Electric Palace is opening its backstage doors to anyone wishing to take part in or run classes and workshops. The recently refurbished Friends' Room offers a brightly lit and airy space which is ideal for classes and workshops of all types – from art classes to yoga, music workshops and lectures – and is available for hire at very competitive rates. The Electric Palace team are keen to hear from anyone interested in running future workshops – please call 01308 426336 or pop in for more info.

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## Rob - Week 7

IT'S one week before our third weigh-in and measurement day, so we decided to take it up a level this week and focus most of Rob's workouts on Kettlebells.

For all of you who don't know, Kettlebells are like cannon balls with a handle. They vary in weight to adapt to all fitness levels and strengths. Generally speaking the heavier the weight the harder the workout! They are a very versatile piece of equipment allowing you to lift, swing or press. Combining these moves keeps the workout flowing from exercise to exercise and the best thing is you only need one piece of equipment.

### The top five benefits of Kettlebell Training are:

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4. Major calorie burning potential, you can burn up to 20 calories per minute—that's 1,200 calories per hour.
5. It's a lot more enjoyable than exercising on one piece of equipment for 30 – 45 minutes as the exercises are completed varied.

### Example of Rob's kettlebell workout:

- 20 Kettlebell Swings
- 10 Cleans each hand
- 10 Single Arm Swings each hand
- 20 Goblet Squats
- 10 Clean and Press each hand
- 10 High Pull each hand
- One minutes rest, repeat workout 5 times

If you would like to learn about Kettlebells why not book a Personal Training Session or a Kettlebell Course at Bridport Leisure Centre.



### Fitness Tip

Females who want a leaner body shape try focusing more on Resistance Training. Working your muscles increases your fat burning potential giving you a more toned physique.

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# STEP BACK IN TIME!

## Milton Abbas 18th Century Street Fair - Saturday, July 27th

EVERY two years an 18th century street fair takes place in the picturesque village of Milton Abbas. The present villagers recreate a historic fair to celebrate the rebuilding of the village over 225 years ago. This fair took place on St Sampson's Day as St Sampson was the patron saint of the ancient town and Abbey. Lord Damer, Earl of Dorchester, had the village of

Middleton removed and rebuilt in the valley of Milton Abbas to make way for his landscaped estates. The present day fair attracts thousands of visitors and is the perfect day out for the whole family. The Street is closed to traffic and decorated with swathes of homemade bunting. Residents and stallholders dress in 18th century costume. The rows of thatched

whitewashed cottages fronted by broad greens are the perfect backdrop for traditional market stalls and entertainment. While beer tents, local food delicacies and Dorset crafts will appeal to the adult visitors, there will also be plenty to do for youngsters, with face painting and children's entertainers.

The Milton Abbas Street Fair (between Blandford and Dorchester) runs from 11am to 5pm. Parking is free. Adult contribution of £7.00 requested at entry. Seniors £5.00, children £3.00, families £15.00.

Proceeds go to local charities and organisations.

For further information, including disabled access, please call 01258 880229 or visit [www.miltonabbas.org.uk](http://www.miltonabbas.org.uk), we are also on Facebook.



STEPPING BACK | Crowds at a previous Street Fair in Milton Abbas

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## Coach & Horses

THE secrets out, the Coach and Horses Winterbourne Abbas is back Celebrating first birthday under new ownership the old coaching inn, is proving a great success. It seems a lifetime ago that the pub on the main A35 closed, tired and outdated, it needed some creativity to give it a new lease of life and a sense of what is now required of a coaching inn for the modern traveller.

The new light airy interior is not what you expect when you enter, beautiful pine stripped floors that had been hidden by a 20 year old typical pub carpet. Comfy seating in the coffee lounge, to enjoy your much needed speciality coffee and homemade cake or take tea served

in china tea cups from your own china teapot, The 100 seater restaurant with a theatre kitchen which is home to large stone based pizza oven and char grill. The refurbished patio with its vast array of colour and comfortable rattan furniture makes alfresco dining a delight.

With a growing reputation for good food, the large menu offers something for everyone. The Sunday Carvery is a real winner with the full menu also available on Sundays it's advisable to reserve your table.

The old coaching inn is back to its best serving the modern travellers just what they want on a journey.

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ing the Victorian era, alfresco dining has been adopted by restaurants around the UK.

During this unexpected heat wave you'll find restaurants and pubs offering meal service in lovely courtyards, gardens and patios on long summer evenings. And if the weather goes south, you can always take cover indoors!

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## The Harbour Inn

### Come and experience the relaxing newly refurbished Harbour Inn at Axmouth

OWNERS, Gary and Toni Valentine recently unveiled their new vision for the village pub, with a complete redesign, enhancing the 12th century traditional building, a brand new menu and something for everyone.

With the chance to relax in the sunshine in the patio and beer garden, snuggle with cake and coffee in the lounge with an open fire or enjoy a sit down meal from the contemporary menu; everyone can be safe in the knowledge that they can enjoy their visit.

From traditional Sunday lunches to a full English breakfast kick-starting your day; The Harbour Inn boasts a range of delicious treats. There is lots to choose from with the menu divided into themes from a New York 'on the

streets' theme inspired by a recent trip to the city, to a 'From the sea' and 'From the Land' section and 'two for one' deals to little nibbles, garden treats and sharing boards.

Inspired by their recent trip to the Big Apple; its now possible to dine out on some of the New York specials that have earned a worldwide reputation, including the classic New York chilli dog, New York sliders, pulled pork shoulder and the Juicy Lucy burger (price range £7.50 to £11.)

For those looking for a snack during the day (12 noon to 6 pm) a sandwich in a bag (tuna bagel cheese melt, ham, cream cheese and tomato and the classic BLT) can be purchased for £4.



Naughty treats' are also playing a big role, with a brand new sweets menu, packed full of retro desserts such as chocolate brownie with all the trimmings, complete with chocolate milkshake which comes in a miniature glass milk bottle with a straw; toffee apple Eton mess and peach melba knickerbocker glory.

The pub's new 'Breakfast Club' also hopes to welcome people to enjoy a full English breakfast, seven days a week, from 9am until 11.30am.

The cosy thatched pub on Church Street is known for its traditional feel, black beams and period features and has now been enhanced with new heritage colour schemes, a light, fresh and airy feel and a state of the art kitchen.

Whilst areas have been stripped out, panelled and carpeted, the traditional features such as the open fires and original beams remain in tact, giving the pub a much-needed rejuvenation and a modern twist.

The bar has been completely relocated, doubling the size of the room as you enter, and a relaxed style has been implemented with a mixture of new bespoke table and chairs for dining to comfortable zones for visitors who just want a coffee and a biscuit.

Adding to the different zones in the pub, a new 'Captains Room' is available to hire and has been created for parties, meetings and functions, with a giant specially created table set to seat twenty people; whilst you can be sure that if you're celebrating a birthday, a free bottle of bubbly will be on the table.

Quirky props such as golden clad mirrors, paddles round every corner reflecting the pub's new logo and a typewriter to hold on to the menus are also set to bring the pub alive.

The couple have always had a flair for interior design and an eye for special touches,



with their company, G&T Interiors influencing much of the new design for the Harbour Inn. The company is set to have a small outlet at the pub, selling one off quirky pieces and items inspired by the couple's travels during expeditions abroad.

Owner, Gary Valentine said: "Toni and I welcome all to enjoy their visit to the Harbour at Axmouth and we look forward to showing more of the community what we have to offer.

"We have worked hard to ensure the vision can keep every bit of the pub's character and enhance its 12th century features, whilst giving it a contemporary new look.

"We have tried to make sure that there is something for everyone, from our Captains Room for parties and meetings, to our relaxed zone and dining area and a dog friendly bar.

"We have also created our own wedding

package for just £999 where we have a complete plan including a three course wedding breakfast for up to fifty people for couples who want the perfect day without spending thousands of pounds.

"We are particularly excited about our new menu which we feel has something for all kinds of customers, and are looking forward particularly to implementing our new New York inspired section in tribute to our visit there.

"Whilst being competitively priced, we are still aiming to bring a high level of quality and customer service and are excited to show off the new changes."

The Harbour at Axmouth is open from 9am until late seven days a week.

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## The George Inn

NEW owners Linda and her family have recently taken over The George, a 15th century traditional Inn, nestling in the heart of the picturesque village of Chardstock, close to the Devon, Somerset and Dorset borders. Bursting with olde worlde charm, linenfold panelling, large oak beams and stone mullioned windows, there's even graffiti dating back to 1649. Dine in style in the restaurant or enjoy the full menu in the bar in front of the welcoming fire. There's also the terraced beer garden for warmer days.

*.....think bistro pub rather than gastro pub*

The George has an eclectic menu and supports other local businesses by buying ingredients and produce from nearby farms and producers as much as possible. The menu ranges from traditional dishes like chicken and asparagus pie and fish and chips to more Mediterranean, Middle Eastern and Greek influenced dishes, like lasagne, tagines, moussaka and beef stifado (literal translation "stolen meat"). Complete your meal with a homemade rhubarb and apple crumble or apri-

cot brioche tart. All this is complemented by an extensive wine list and good selection of traditional local real ales. Once you visit this warm and friendly pub, you'll no doubt feel inclined to become one of the regulars.



## The George Inn at Chardstock

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The George is a 15th century Inn nestling in the heart of the picturesque village of Chardstock, close to the Devon, Somerset and Dorset borders.

Recently under new ownership, Linda and family offer an excellent selection of local traditional real ales and an eclectic menu, which is prepared using fresh locally produced and sourced ingredients.

Our evening menu and Sunday lunches, are complimented by our extensive wine list.

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Expect to find 3 real ales on the bar, full time residents include 'Otter Bitter' and 'Sharp's Doom Bar' as well as a guest. We are proud of our Cask Marque accreditation and take the quality of our beer seriously!

We also offer a comprehensive selection of wines from around the world supplied by Regency Wines and are spoilt for choice here with tradi-



tional local ciders from Perrys in Dowlish Wake and Burrow Hill (as well as their unique and famous Somerset Cider Brandy). We also stock Thatchers Gold and Dry Blackthorn.

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## The Bull Hotel

STEP in off the bustling market streets of Bridport and discover the wonderful world of the Bull Hotel.

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eclectic style and contemporary - rustic charm.

The Bull Hotel boasts an excellent restaurant that is as popular with locals as it is with hotel guests.

It's not just the food that the Bull Hotel has to shout about. The Venner Bar, is now one of the

trendiest places to be, with a wide range of cocktails being served by mixologist Lloyd Brown and his team. Open from 5.30pm Wednesday to Saturday and from 12 noon on a Sunday, the Venner Bar boasts a chilled atmosphere, with relaxed seating, and outstanding cocktails to match.



▲ Lloyd mixing a drink in the Bull Hotel's stylish Venner Bar.

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## Longs Fish & Chips

### Get 10% off at Longs this summer with this voucher!

THIS summer View From readers can get 10% off at Longs Fish and Chips in Bridport, by taking in the voucher on this page.

Longs have two locations in Bridport, the restaurant in King Street, and the take away in West Street.

Many people that visit and live in the town know the popular Chippie's location in West Street, but the restaurant in King Street offers so much more, but is, astonishingly, less well known. Walking down king street, you may be fooled from the outside thinking it is just a take away with a few seats, but the

restaurant seats up to fifty two, and has so much more to offer than just Fish and Chips.

The restaurant in King Street wants to shout about what they can offer, and they are right to do so, it really isn't your typical chippie. Of course they serve the highest quality, local, freshest fish and chips around, but the specials menu boasts some wonderful home cooked food as well. Delights such as Breast of Duck, with a honey and ginger sauce and Brie, Potato, Courgette and Almond Crumble, served with vegetables or salad are just an example of what you can expect.

Head chef, and owner, Graham has also created his own recipe for Faggots. Customers can reminisce the good old days, when you would have lined up with your bowl to get faggots, chips, peas and gravy, a real trip down memory lane.

In West Street you will find Longs' other branch, open 7 days a week, serving traditional fish and chips. It's not just a take-away either with seating upstairs, over looking the busy market town. If you are of retirement age, why not take advantage of the Senior Citizen's Special? Available from 11:30am to 1:30pm Monday to Friday, you can choose from Cod, Sausages, or Fishcake, served with chips, peas, and garnish, followed by ice cream or rice pudding AND tea or coffee, all for just £6.50.

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## The Stable



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## Pebbles Coffee House

WELCOME to the Little Craft Shop based at Pebbles Coffee House, a new and exciting venture set up by proprietors Jayne, Peter and daughter Sarah, with a passion for all things crafty.

The Little Craft Shop is open exclusively on Mondays and Tuesdays for private workshops and organised craft parties.

For 2013 the aim is to expand into child and adult workshops, including beginners classes. The contemporary and fun workshops will provide you with the opportunity to learn new skills, exercise your creative side with sewing, cross-stitch and knitting opportunities or making unique and beautiful paper and card crafts, in the laid back and sociable café setting.

If you are celebrating something special we also run, fun and creative parties - perfect for children's birthdays, hen parties, baby showers or any other occasion. Or you can simply come in to make a special card for a special someone or create and personalize your party or wedding invitations.

We offer computer-aided design; new customers will be shown how to design their projects with the Sizzix Big Shot Pro, Craft Dragon and Die Cut and Embossing machines. Other computerized machines will be arriving shortly. We stock and sell a

large range of craft papers, cards and embellishments from well known brands such as Sizzix, Joanna Sheen, Crafters Companion and Hunkydory. You can pick and choose items to ensure a personal touch to your greeting cards, gift boxes and origami projects. The craft machines, desks and

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## To drink...

Make a batch of essential elderflower cordial for a light, summery, quintessentially British drink.

## Ingredients

About 25 elderflower heads  
2 lemons  
1 orange  
90g citric or tartaric acid  
(available from chemists)  
2kg caster sugar



## Method

1. Put the elderflower heads in a large preserving pan or clean bucket and squeeze the juice from the lemons and the orange over them, then add the citric or tartaric acid. Cut the squeezed fruit into large chunks and add these to the preserving pan or bucket.
2. Put the caster sugar in a separate pan with 1.5 litres water and bring to the boil. Reduce the heat and simmer, stirring constantly, until all the sugar has dissolved. Pour the syrup over the flowers, cover and leave for 24 hours.
3. Strain the liquid through clean muslin, pour into sterilised bottles

## To eat...

Curried Scotch Eggs

The key to a good Scotch egg lies in leaving the yolk creamy rather than totally hard boiled

## Ingredients

8 fresh free-range eggs  
400g coarse ground pork mince,  
made from the belly and  
shoulder  
125g streaky bacon, rind  
removed and finely chopped  
1 tsp ground black pepper  
1 tsp mild curry powder  
Flour, for dusting  
250g fresh breadcrumbs  
Sunflower oil, for deep-frying



## Method

1. To boil the eggs, put 6 into a pan of cold water and bring to the boil. Boil for 4 minutes, then plunge into cold water for another 4 minutes. Peel immediately and set aside.
2. Mix the mince, bacon, pepper and curry powder in a large bowl. Season, dust your hands with the flour and pick up about 50g of mince. Flatten the mix in your right hand and, with your left, grab an egg and wrap the mince around it until it is fully encased. Repeat for all 6 eggs.
3. Beat the remaining eggs and roll each Scotch egg in the remaining flour, then dip in the egg and roll in the breadcrumbs.
4. If you have a deep-fat fryer, set it to 160°C. If not, fill a deep pan two-thirds full with oil and put over a medium heat for 5 minutes. Test the oil by adding a cube of bread. If the bread turns golden after a minute, you are good to go. Fry the eggs in batches of 3 for about 10 minutes, until the coating is golden brown. Cool completely on kitchen paper before packing

## To eat...

Greek Salad - A simple recipe for a classic salad made with cucumber, onion, tomatoes, black olives and Greek feta cheese

## Ingredients

1 cucumber, halved  
lengthways, deseeded  
and diced  
1 large onion, thinly sliced  
6 plum tomatoes, cut into  
chunks  
24 pitted Greek black  
olives, halved  
225g feta, diced  
1 head cos lettuce, torn



## For the dressing

2 tbsp fresh lemon juice  
6 tbsp extra-virgin olive oil  
1 garlic clove, crushed  
2 tbsp fresh oregano or thyme

## Method

1. Put the diced cucumber, onion, tomatoes, olives and feta into a bowl. Toss in the lettuce. Whisk the dressing ingredients and plenty of seasoning together.
2. Shake the ingredients for the dressing together and pour over the Greek salad to serve

## To eat...

Chocolate and Raspberry Cake - Drizzle melted chocolate over the cake and carefully arranging raspberries and pink marshmallows on top

## Ingredients

250g butter, softened, plus extra  
250g self-raising flour  
1 tsp baking powder  
225g drinking chocolate powder  
250g light soft brown sugar  
4 eggs, lightly beaten  
3 tbsp milk  
200g frozen berries (raspberries,  
blackberries and blueberries)



## For decoration

200g white chocolate, broken up  
Fresh raspberries  
Small pink marshmallows  
Candles

## Method

1. Preheat the oven to 180°C/fan160°C/gas 4. Grease and base line a 30cm x 20cm cake tin. Sift the flour, baking powder and drinking chocolate into a large bowl.
2. In another bowl, cream the butter and sugar together until pale and fluffy. Gradually add the eggs, beating well after each addition. Add the flour mixture and milk and gently mix until combined.
3. Spoon the cake mixture into the tin and poke in the frozen berries. Bake for 45 minutes, covering with a double layer of baking paper halfway through to prevent it browning too much, until risen and cooked. When you press the cake lightly, it should bounce back. Cool in the tin slightly, then turn out and cool on a wire rack.
4. To decorate, put the chocolate into a bowl. Rest the bowl over a pan of gently simmering water and leave to melt, stirring occasionally. Carefully remove the bowl from the saucepan.
5. Using a teaspoon, drizzle the chocolate in lines across the cake. Arrange the berries, marshmallows and candles on top before serving.

# The art of grilling fish

Grilled fish is a delight, but grilling fish and seafood can seem a bit intimidating. Actually, it's not hard at all to get great results. Here are some basic tips to get you started:

• A HOT fire is key. You want to cook seafood quickly to retain the natural juices and flavor.

• A CLEAN grill rack is equally important. Fish will stick to a dirty rack and make turning the fish difficult.

• OIL the rack when the barbecue grill is hot, just before you're ready to cook. Also, oil the fish whenever possible. Use a high-temperature oil, such as grape seed, peanut, or plain olive oil.

• SKIN side up or down? Conventional wisdom says to cook the skin side first, but doing the opposite gives a nicer, crusted surface on the non-skin side, and the skin helps the fillet hold together for turning. The result is a moist, more appealing fillet. Try it and you'll see.

• FISH will hold together better and be less likely to stick if you leave it alone during grilling. Cook it for the estimated time, then try lifting it carefully.

• A WIDE, thin spatula is essential for flipping and removing

fish. Having two close at hand is even better.

• IF you're grilling thin fillets, or just want to make life easier, you can grill fish and seafood in the type of double-sided, long-handled grilling rack used for hamburgers and steaks. There are also specially shaped ones made for grilling whole fish.

• A GOOD rule of thumb is to grill fish for a total of 10 minutes per inch of thickness (measured at the thickest point.) So if you have a half inch thick fillet, grill it for about 3 minutes on one side, then flip

it and cook for 2 minutes more.

• AVOID sugary marinades or glazes, especially with thick fillets or whole fish, as the sugars can burn and turn bitter before the fish is fully cooked.

• AS with other methods, fish is fully cooked when it begins to flake and is opaque at the center. Some fish, like salmon and tuna, are often served while still somewhat 'rare', like steak.

• TUNA, salmon, swordfish, halibut, mahi mahi, barramundi, trout, mackerel, yellowtail, and sea bass are some of the best fish to grill.



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## Woodsmoke and Wild Words

REBECCA Smart is a storyteller inspired by the deep connection between myth and nature. "I was hooked by storytelling at 5.00 in the morning in a dark hut in the corner of a field in Somerset – and have been telling ever since."

From a background in improvisation, poetry and theatre, Rebecca has performed at festivals, on stage and radio and in schools. "I have told in

many strange corners of the land, from windblown cliff tops and ancient orchards to tram tunnels beneath the city."

On Friday, July 26th she will bring her tales of 'Woodsmoke and Wild Words' from Eastern Europe to the Story Café at Bridport Arts Centre. The performance begins at 7.30pm and tickets are £7 / £6 members / £5 concessions, available at the box office, by phone

01308 424204 or via the website [www.bridport-arts.com](http://www.bridport-arts.com)



Rebecca Smart

## CHARITY SUMMER GARDEN PARTY AT THE PYMORE INN

THE Pymore Inn is holding a traditional family Garden Party and Fete on Sunday from 4.00pm in aid of Help for Heroes.

During the afternoon there will be competitions to enter, Fancy dress for children and for mums to bake a classic Victoria sponge and for children to bake and decorate six cup cakes, the recipes for both will be on The Pymore Inn Facebook page with other information.

There will be many other traditional stalls, competitions and games in the garden such as a Tombola, cake stall, Treasure hunt, and in the marquee there will be a bar and teas and coffees and other refreshment will be available, there will also be a Barbecue.

In the evening the day will be rounded off with a family disco hosted by Steve

and an Auction to raise a little more money for this great cause, food will be also available to purchase with the event finishing at 10.30pm.

We would welcome reasonable items that could be auctioned and we have room for more exhibitors please contact us.

Barry and Irene said, "the aim of the afternoon is not only to raise some money for this worthy cause but for families and visitors to come and relax and have some fun and enjoy themselves at this traditional style village event".

For further information please visit The Pymore Inn Facebook page - rules for the baking competition and recipe will be listed on this page, or call Barry or Irene on 01308 422625.

## Top Abba tribute set to make Squirrel Inn's Picnic in the Park a 'Gold' event

THE Squirrel Inn is located in the small hamlet of Laymore on the West Dorset and South Somerset border. The Inn boasts a fantastic beer garden, which has fantastic views of the countryside and a large children's play area. There is a large function room and restaurant, with room for 90 people seated or 150 for a buffet; it's the ideal location for your private function, wedding or party. Or if you are having a party and have a licensed venue, but need a bar, they are fully licensed for outside bars, just phone the Inn for more details.

The Squirrel Inn also has a lovely open log fire, which helps to create a cosy atmosphere on the colder nights, and with a choice of real ales always available it's a great place for a relaxed drink. You can find great value for money as well, not least on Wednesdays and Sundays. Wednesday night

is steak night, with two rump steaks for £12, and there is a carvery on Sunday with a choice of two meats with all the trimmings for just £7.

There are regular events held throughout the year at the Inn, including live music on a number of Saturdays, and the next charity bingo night planned for September 14th.

The biggest event on the horizon is undoubtedly the Picnic in the Park, and Real Ale festival, on Saturday 10th August, with live music from the magnificent ABBA Gold! With 11 real ales, numerous ciders, a BBQ, and the band playing on an outdoor stage, it promises to be a great day. There is free car parking and camping available, and tickets are just £10 in advance. Tickets can be purchased either from the Squirrel Inn - 01460 30298 - or from Ron Bicknell on 01297 34621, who is also happy to supply a map for those that aren't

sure how to get there. ABBA Gold are renowned as the best

ABBA tribute act around, having appeared on the BBC, and

played Wembley Stadium, so this truly is an event not to be missed!

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## View 2 Diary Dates

## UNTIL WEDNESDAY AUGUST 7TH

**LYME REGIS:** Terrain - paintings by Julie Oldfield at Courtyard Gallery, The Town Mill, DT7 3PU, daily 10.30am-4.30pm. Free admission. For more details visit [www.townmillartsguild.com](http://www.townmillartsguild.com) and [www.julieoldfield.com](http://www.julieoldfield.com)

## WEDNESDAY JULY 24TH - SATURDAY JULY 27TH

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Players are performing 'Calendar Girls' in Burton Village Hall at 7.30pm. Tickets £8 from Gillian Perkins 01308 898707

## THURSDAY JULY 25TH

**BRIDPORT:** Exchange Recipes & Coffee & Chat at Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Located in Bridport. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

**WEST BAY, BRIDPORT:** The annual RNLI Raft Race on the River Brit from 6.30 pm, followed by live music on the green adjacent to the harbour. For details call Alan on 01308 427212.

## FRIDAY JULY 26TH

**BRIDPORT:** Canasta. Play cards in an easy and comfortable way while meeting and making new friends. Also scrabble and Rummikub groups. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

## SATURDAY JULY 27TH

**UPLYME:** Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing from 8pm-10.30pm. At Uplyme Village Hall. £4.50 in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

**BRIDPORT:** Charades & Coffee & Chat at Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Located in Bridport. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

**SATURDAY JULY 27TH & SUNDAY JULY 28TH**  
**LYME REGIS:** Hobby & Craft Fayre will be held at The Pilot Boat Inn from 10.00am. To include Handmade Crafts, Homemade Jams and Chutneys, Vintage and Collectables. Profits to "Force" Cancer Charity. For more details call Jean on 01297 21508.

## SUNDAY JULY 28TH

**BRIDPORT:** Antiques and Vintage Sunday. Enjoy the atmosphere, browse and shop from 10am, at all the Antique Shops, with extra stalls outside, plus The Red Brick Café in the Art & Vintage Quarter on the St Michael's Trading Estate.

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis Art Society will be holding an Exhibition and Sale of paintings, folios and other arts and crafts in the Marine Shelters. Open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 20% of all sales will be donated to the RNLI.

**WEST BAY, BRIDPORT:** West Bay Women's Institute Fete at the Salt House in West Bay, from 10am-4pm. Refreshments, stalls and great fun!

## MONDAY JULY 29TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis Art Society will be holding an Exhibition and Sale of paintings, folios and other arts and crafts in the Marine Shelters. Open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 20% of all sales will be donated to the RNLI.

## TUESDAY JULY 30TH

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Summer Yoga, 10.45-12.15pm at St Mary's Church Hall, South Street. A different teacher each week. For more details call 01308 485544.

## TUESDAY JULY 30TH - TUESDAY AUGUST 6TH

**WEYMOUTH:** Billy Smart's Circus at Lodmoor Country Park. 2.30pm and 7pm daily, except Tuesday August 6th 2.30pm only. Adults £12-£24, children £10-£18.

## WEDNESDAY JULY 31ST

**UPLYME:** Snakes Alive - Not photographs but the real thing. Take a close up look with this talk and display of snakes and exotic reptiles by 'Tiny Boas' of Exeter. At Uplyme Village Hall from 7.30pm. Adults £3, Children under 16 £1 - from Uplyme Post Office, RNLI shop and the lottery kiosk or ring Brian Cursley 07831 533580. Profits to Lifeboat Week. Organised by Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society

## THURSDAY AUGUST 1ST

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**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Electronic Organ Club at United Church Hall, East Street from 7.30pm. Ian House, National Yamaha Keyboard Specialist. Admission £8, members £7, visitors welcome.

## SUNDAY AUGUST 4TH

**SALWAY ASH:** Salway Ash Fete from 1-5pm. Western Theme, Fancy Dress Competition, Car Boot, Pig Roast, Pony Rides, Vintage Cars, Model Railway.

## MONDAY AUGUST 5TH

**LYME REGIS:** Fundraiser for McMillian Nurses. Family Lunch Soup & Sandwiches & Rummikub from 1.00pm, organised by the 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

## TUESDAY AUGUST 6TH

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**The World's End**<sup>15</sup>

Fri-Sun, Tue-Thu: 20.15, Mon: 16.00

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Mon: 12.40, 15.40, 18.30, 20.20

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Fri-Tue: 10.30, 11.30, 12.20, 13.10, 14.10, 15.00, 15.50, 17.40, 18.30, 19.45

Wed: 10.30, 12.20, 13.10, 15.00, 15.50, 17.40, 18.30

Thu: 10.30, 12.20, 13.10, 15.00, 15.50, 17.40

**Despicable Me 2**<sup>U</sup>

Fri, Sun, Tu: 11.15, 12.10, 13.45, 14.40, 16.15, 17.10, 18.45, 20.00

Sat: 12.10, 14.45, 14.40, 16.15, 17.10, 18.45, 20.00

Mon: 11.15, 12.10, 13.45, 14.40, 16.15, 17.10, 20.00

Wed & Thu: 11.15, 12.10, 13.45, 14.40, 16.15, 17.10, 18.45

**Pacific Rim**<sup>12A</sup>

Fri-Tue: 16.50, 21.15, Wed & Thu: 21.15

**The Wolverine**<sup>12A</sup>

Fri-Tue: 10.30, 11.15, 12.00, 13.30, 14.15, 15.00, 16.30, 17.15, 18.00, 19.30, 20.15, 21.00

Wed & Thu: 11.15, 12.00, 14.15, 15.00, 17.15, 18.00, 19.30, 20.15, 21.00

**Now You See Me**<sup>12A</sup> Fri-Wed: 21.10

**The Smurfs 2**<sup>U</sup>

Wed & Thu: 10.00, 11.40, 12.40, 14.20, 15.20, 18.00

**The Heat**<sup>15</sup>

Wed & Thu: 17.15, 20.00, 21.00

**All Stars**<sup>U</sup> Sat: 10.15am

**Madagascar 3**<sup>PG</sup> Sat: 10.30am

**The Croods**<sup>U</sup> Daily: 10.00, 10.05am

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**The Smurfs 2 (2D)**<sup>U</sup>

Wed & Thu: 12.20, 15.00, 20.00

**The Wolverine (3D)**<sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 20.20

**The Wolverine (2D)**<sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 11.30, 14.20, 17.20

**Despicable Me 2**<sup>U</sup>

Fri-Sun: 12.20, 15.00, 17.30

Mon: 12.00, 14.30, 16.50

Tue: 11.20, 17.30,

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Daily: 12.35, 15.10, 17.50, 20.30

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Fri-Sun, Tue: 20.00

**The World's End**<sup>15</sup>

Fri-Tue: 11.50, 14.40, 17.40, 20.40

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## This Week's releases

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Spin-off from the X-Men franchise starring Hugh Jackman, Rila Fukushima and Will Yun Lee.

THE HEAT<sup>15</sup>

AN uptight FBI Special Agent is paired with a foul-mouthed Boston cop to take down a ruthless drug lord. Crime comedy starring Sandra Bullock, Melissa McCarthy and Demian Bichir.

THE SMURFS 2<sup>U</sup>

The Smurfs team up with their human friends to rescue Smurfette, who has been kidnapped by Gargamel since she knows a secret spell that can turn the evil sorcerer's newest creation - creatures called the Naughties - into real Smurfs.

Voices from Hank Azaria, Neil Patrick Harris and Jayma Mays.

## View 2 Diary Dates

teacher each week. For more details call 01308 485544.

## THURSDAY AUGUST 8TH

**BRIDPORT:** Coffee & Chat at Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Located in Bridport. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

## THURSDAY AUGUST 8TH - WED AUGUST 28TH

**LYME REGIS:** Exhibition: 'Out and About' in the Courtyard Gallery, The Town Mill from 10.30-4.30pm daily. Free admission. For more details visit [www.townmillartsguild.com](http://www.townmillartsguild.com)

## SATURDAY AUGUST 10TH

**UPLYME:** Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing from 8pm-10.30pm. At Uplyme Village Hall. £4.50 in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

**WEYMOUTH:** Radipole & Southill Horticultural Society are holding their Summer Show at Southill Community Centre, Radipole Lane. All are welcome to enjoy the display of horticulture, plus cookery, crafts, and floral art, not forgetting the children's exhibits, from 2.15pm at the Centre. There will also be refreshments, a raffle and plant sales, and the Mayor and Mayoress will present the prizes at 4pm. Further details available from Peter or Julie Flannery on 01305 772533.

## SUNDAY AUGUST 11TH

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival Opening - Tea Party in the Rectory Garden. Free music. Teas available.

## MONDAY AUGUST 12TH

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: The Carravick Sisters (bluegrass and folk) and Kyam Al-lami (Oud) at St Mary's Church. 7pm. Tickets £12/£10.

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Late Night Recital: David Juritz (violin) and Adrian Bradbury (cello) play Britten and Bach. 9.45pm. £8.

**MONDAY AUGUST 12TH - SUNDAY AUGUST 18TH**  
**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Art Exhibition in the village hall. Part of the Burton Bradstock Festival of Music and Art.

## TUESDAY AUGUST 13TH

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Summer Yoga, 10.45-12.15pm at St Mary's Church Hall, South Street. A different teacher each week. For more details call 01308 485544.

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Norburton Hall Recital. David Juritz (violin), Milos Milivojevic (accordion), Craig Ogden (guitar) play Sarasate, Turina and Poulenc (with light lunch) from 12.3pm. £12.

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Jazz Concert with David Gordon (keyboards), Russell Bennett (trumpet and Flugelhorn) and Sandy Burnett (double bass) at St Mary's Church. 7pm. £15/£12

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Late Night Recital: Natalia Lomeiko (violin) and Yuri Zhislin (viola) play Halvorsen and Rolla. 9.45pm. £8.

## WEDNESDAY AUGUST 14TH

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Lunchtime concert by conductor, jazz bassist and broadcaster Sandy Burnett at St Mary's Church from 1pm. £5.

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Chamber Concert with Michael Cox (flute) and Anna Hashimoto (clarinet) playing Mozart, Brahms and Verdi at St Mary's Church from 7pm. £15/£12.

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Late Night Recital - Craig Ogden (guitar) and Milos Milivojevic (accordion) play homages by Britten and Bach. 9.45pm. £8.

## THURSDAY AUGUST 15TH

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**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Operatic Inspirations with Claire Bradshaw (soprano) and the Festival Players playing Wagner, Verdi and Poulenc. £15/£12.

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Late Night Recital - David Gordon (harpischord), Michael Cox (flute), David Juritz (violin) and Adrian Bardbury (cello). 9.45pm. £8.

## FRIDAY AUGUST 16TH

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock Festival: Orchestral Finale - Festival Players and all the stars of the week playing Britten, Mozart, Lutoslawski, Bach, Faure, Sarasate and more. At St Mary's Church from 7pm. £15/£12.

## THURSDAY AUGUST 22ND

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Deadline midday Monday.



# Visit the newly refurbished Coach and Horses in South Perrott

TRAVEL to the Coach and Horses in South Perrott near Beaminster and you will find a warm welcome and a freehouse that has been completely transformed under new Landlady Jane Holdsworth. The pub has kept its cosy feel, with a choice of local real ales, but now boasts a much larger bar and a lovely spacious restaurant. The Inn also boasts a large beer garden, which has been basking in the recent sunshine, as well as pool table and a skittle alley.

In the restaurant you will find authentic pub food, with a number of home cooked favourites and classics, including Steak and Chips; you can get a lovely 10oz Sirloin with all the trimmings for just £12.95.

The Sunday Carvery remains ever popular, and pro-

vides unbeatable value. You can indulge yourself with a choice of 3 meats for £7.95, then, if you have room, enjoy a pudding for just an extra £2! Alternatively, if this hot weather makes you want to waver from the traditional Sunday Roast, but you still want your fix of roast meat, you can enjoy a Pork or Beef bap, with chips, for just £6.50.

The Coach and Horses also have regular live music, bingo, and theme nights, with 'Chillies Indian Night' the next on the agenda on Monday 29th July. On Chillies night patrons can enjoy 2 courses of freshly prepared Indian cuisine for only £9.95 per person.

However it's the accommodation side of things that have seen the biggest transformation. There are four B&B rooms, which now have a contemporary design with beautiful en-suite bathrooms.

If you're looking for a Dorset get away, or some great local accommodation for your guests, look no further than the Coach and Horses at South Perrott. For more information visit [www.dorsetbedandbreakfast.com](http://www.dorsetbedandbreakfast.com) or call 01935 891270.



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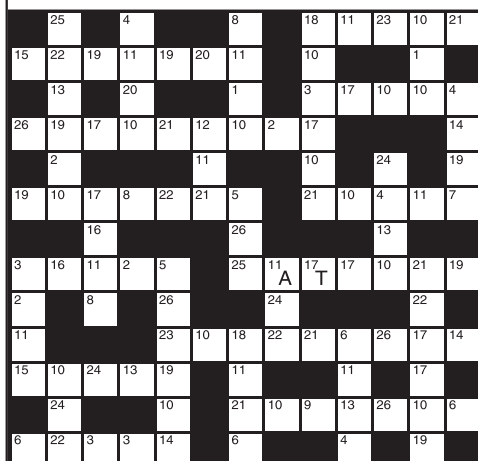
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# Brain Gym

No.231

## Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
B	I	Z	R	F	S	G	D	C	E	A	M	N
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
P	X	W	K	O	Q	V	Y	J	H	L	U	T

## Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

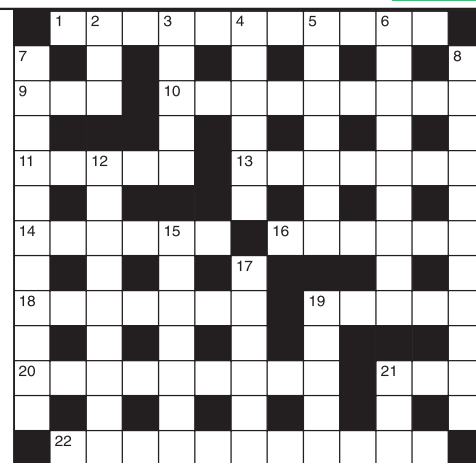
### Cryptic Clues:

#### Across

- High cultivated features of modern cities (4-7)
- Everything, we hear, for shoe-makers (3)
- Dreadful come-down for Alpine travellers (9)
- Fashionable race-course for a northern Briton (5)
- Siamese knit-wear? (4-3)
- Shelter for fliers (6)
- A donkey, it's about to help (6)
- Trampled, with or without study (7)
- Regal part of Troy, a long time ago (5)
- Their guns will be broken, you can safely bet on that! (4,5)
- He has nothing inside for the gardener (3)
- Their husbands didn't leave them unconsolated, apparently! (5,6)

#### Down

- Naturally, it lacks refinement (3)
- Spread strongly over the East (5)
- Stays will change a waist (6)
- Record books I'd come up to sign (7)
- Need no luxury (9)
- He will fall on his enemies (11)
- He prefers to be a man lacking spirit (11)
- A crowd of a hundred heading the right way (9)
- He will be called to account (7)
- I've now become available for inspection (2,4)
- Stiff clothes I'd put on (5)
- Cut out of the will (3)



### Quick Clues:

#### Across

- Forerunner (11)
- Pinch (3)
- Clock (9)
- Proposal (5)
- Copy (7)
- Misanthropes (6)
- Selfish person (6)
- Long curl (7)
- Compact (5)
- Get rid of (9)
- In the past (3)
- In turn (11)

#### Down

- Slash (3)
- Put off (5)
- Perpetrate (6)
- Young tree (7)
- At work (9)
- Not anxious (11)
- Hatred (11)
- Monetary (9)
- Clash (7)
- Reach (6)
- Handle (5)
- Everybody (3)

## Sudoku

	2			3		6		
	6	4	8		7	5	2	
		1			3			
		7	3		1	9		
1							3	
		2	5		4	8		
		6		3		1		
	1	3	4		5	2	8	
	9						5	

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

### LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

6	2	5	7	9	3	4	1	8
4	1	7	6	2	8	5	9	3
9	3	8	5	1	4	6	7	2
3	4	6	9	5	7	8	2	1
2	7	9	8	4	1	3	6	5
5	8	1	3	6	2	9	4	7
7	9	4	1	8	5	2	3	6
1	5	2	4	3	6	7	8	9
8	6	3	2	7	9	1	5	4

LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS:  
CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Logs; 3 Saw-bills; 9 Frisked; 10 Cubit; 11 Overthrowing; 13 Extent; 15 Joiner; 17 Heart-disease; 20 Baton; 21 Transit; 22 Dressers; 23 Stay. Down: 1 Left-over; 2 Guide; 4 Adders; 5 Backwoodsman; 6 Lebanon; 7 Site; 8 Skating-rinks; 12 Priestly; 14 Trestle; 16 Editor; 18 Asset; 19 Abed. QUICK - Across: 1 Pert; 3 Preserve; 9 Erasers; 10 Trite; 11 Schoolmaster; 13 Raffle; 15 Falter; 17 Discourteous; 20 Ennui; 21 Verbose; 22 Ordinary; 23 Grit. Down: 1 Pleasure; 2 Reach; 4 Resume; 5 Satisfactory; 6 Raiment; 7 Ewer; 8 Recollection; 12 Prospect; 14 Feigned; 16 Quiver; 18 Odour; 19 Zero.





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A particular feature of this property are the good size gardens in which it stands which extend to circa 2 acres. Jeremy commented "it is rare to find a property so close to Beaminster town centre with such land, therefore we advise early viewing to avoid disappointment".

The property itself is arranged over two floors as follows:- Porch, good size sitting room with inglenook fireplace, study, dining room, rear hallway, cloakroom, kitchen/breakfast room, whilst on the first floor is a gallery landing, master bedroom with en-suite shower room, three further bedrooms, family bathroom.

Outside as previously mentioned are good size gardens and paddock and parking for six-eight vehicles which in turn leads to a double garage. There is also an extension to the kitchen to the rear, which is virtually complete but has not actually been put through into the original kitchen.

Symonds & Sampson are quoting an asking price of £650,000 for the freehold and serious offers will be considered.

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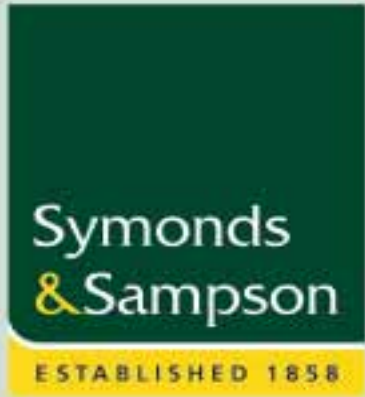
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**Beaminster** **Guide £225,000**

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**Drimpton** **Guide £325,000**

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Delightful end terrace village cottage offering scope for further improvement.

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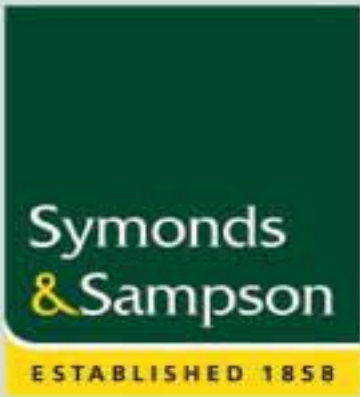
Well presented town house in village situation.

2 reception rooms, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms. Gardens with country views to the rear. Garage.

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**Stockland Hill, Honiton**

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**Axminster** **£650 pcm**

A modern two bedroom coach house situated on the outskirts of Axminster. Benefiting from garage and rear garden. Children considered. EPC Band C. Available mid August.

Web Ref: ACC110185 Axminster 01297 32879



**Axminster** **£750 pcm**

A spacious and well presented three bedroom terraced house situated within walking distance of the town centre. Benefiting from enclosed rear garden and garage. Long term let required. Would suit mature professionals. Pets considered. EPC Band D. Available immediately.

Web Ref: ACC070445 Axminster 01297 32879



**Beaminstor** **£475 pcm**

One bedroom self contained first floor flat with an enclosed and secluded garden, situated in a quiet location close to the town centre. A small pet considered. EPC Band D. Available immediately.

Web Ref: BRI130187 Bridport 01308 459565



**Beaminstor** **£595 pcm**

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Web Ref: ACC090391 Bridport 01308 459565



**Bridport** **£695 pcm**

A three bedroom character property with spacious accommodation and rear garden, situated within walking distance of the town centre. Children and a pet welcome. EPC Band C. Available immediately.

Web Ref: BRI130149 Bridport 01308 459565



**Burton Bradstock** **£1,250 pcm**

A modern and well presented four bedroom detached family home, situated in this sought after coastal village. Enclosed garden and large double garage. EPC Band C. Children and a pet considered. Available late August.

Web Ref: ACC090390 Bridport 01308 459565



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A four bedroom converted stable cottage in a village location. Beautiful original features. Driveway parking. Enclosed garden. Night storage heating. EPC Band E. Available soon for 6 months.

Web Ref: ACC120226 Dorchester 01305 261008



**Toller Porcorum** **£750 pcm**

A detached cottage recently refurbished to include new kitchen, new decor and new floor coverings. Night storage heating. Large garden surrounding the property with greenhouse and vegetable plot. Driveway parking and use of car port. EPC Band F. Available immediately.

Web Ref: DOR130121 Dorchester 01305 261008



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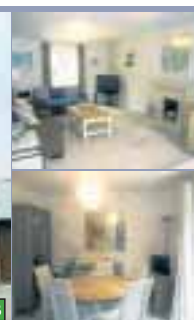
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- Four Bedroom House
- Well Presented
- Front & Rear Gardens
- No Chain
- Viewing Recommended

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EPC B



Lyme Regis

£555,000

- Gated Detached House
- Six Bedrooms
- Three Bathrooms
- Detached Double Garage



EPC C

Lyme Regis

- Well Presented Townhouse
- Set Over Three Floors
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- Open Plan Lounge, Kitchen & Dining Area
- Enclosed Garden & Off Road Parking

£345,000



EPC D

Lyme Regis

£260,000

- Well Presented First Floor Maisonette
- Two Bedrooms
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- Enclosed Gardens & Allocated Parking



EPC F

Axminster

£168,000

- Top Floor Town Centre Apartment
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- Views Over Town & Valley
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EPC E

Lyme Regis

- Two Bedroom Flat
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EPC E

Seaton

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- Situated on an Elevated Corner Plot
- Landscaped Gardens & Double Garage



EPC E



Bridport

£459,950

- Four Bedroom Detached House
- Three Reception Rooms
- Sought After Cul-de-Sac Location
- Rear Ground Floor Extension
- Off Road Parking & Double Garage



EPC D

Bridport

- Four Bedrooms
- Detached Family House
- Two Reception Rooms
- Integral Garage & Utility Room
- Walking Distance to Town Centre

£250,000



Awaiting  
EPC

Bridport

- Ground Floor Garden Apartment
- Two Bedrooms & Two Bathrooms
- Popular Modern Development
- Private Courtyard Garden & Parking
- En-Suite to Master Bedroom

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EPC C

Charmouth

£439,950

- Modern Detached Family Home
- Four Bedrooms
- Three Reception Rooms
- Front & Rear Gardens



EPC D

Bridport

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- Three Bedrooms
- Reception Room
- Fitted Family Bathroom
- Link Detached Bungalow



EPC B

Bridport

- Upper Floor Retirement Apartment
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge with Balcony
- Modern Fitted Kitchen
- Communal Gardens & Garage

£149,950



Awaiting  
EPC

Bridport

£249,950

- Three Bedroom Detached Cottage
- Tucked Away Close to Town Centre
- Many Original Features & Gardens
- Would Benefit from Refurbishment



EPC G

Bridport

£189,950

- Grade II Listed Period Cottage
- Two Bedrooms & Two Bathrooms
- Kitchen & Utility Room
- West Facing Courtyard Garden



EPC D

Bridport

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This light and spacious one bedroom second floor apartment in an elegant Grade II Listed town house with lounge, kitchen and bathroom is located close to town and beaches. EPC exempt.

## LYME REGIS - £325,000



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## LYME REGIS - £425,000



A well presented and maintained three bedroom detached bungalow situated in an elevated position with views over the coastal town of Lyme Regis to the sea and countryside. EPC band D.



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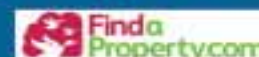


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## CHARMOUTH - £399,000



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## The Audi A3 – three million cars and counting

17 YEARS of enduring global appeal have just culminated in the production of the three-millionth Audi A3, the car which in 1996 stole a march on the German prestige 'establishment' by spearheading the creation of the now flourishing premium compact class. Car number three million is a 2.0 TDI quattro version in five-door Sportback form, one of three attractive body styles currently available in the all-new, third generation A3 range, which for the first time also includes a four-door saloon option. More variants are set to follow.

"Three million automobiles in the compact class is quite a performance," said Dr. Frank Dreves, Board of Management Member for Production at AUDI AG. "This success is backed by a strong team and an efficient production system. With the Audi A3, we have created a new brand segment – we have been setting standards in the compact class with innovative technology and first-class quality for 17 years now."

In 2012, Audi produced a total of 152,993 A3 series cars at its plant in Ingolstadt, Germany. This total included A3 and A3 Sportback models, as well as S derivatives. The new Audi A3 Sportback, launched in 2013, has accounted for the highest proportion of this production volume: Each day, about 700 examples of this immensely popular variant roll off the assembly line.

Approximately 913,000 examples of the first Audi A3 were sold. That worldwide success continued with the second generation (2003-2013), which underscored the Vorsprung durch Technik brand's domination of this segment in terms of technology and quality. Nearly two million of these second generation cars were delivered to customers.

In late 2012, the completely new third generation car made its debut, and again set new benchmarks for quality, build integrity and tech-

nological sophistication at this level. Last month, the new A3 Saloon joined the three-door and Sportback variants, and later this year the new 300PS S3 and S3 Sportback will make their UK debuts, followed in early 2014 by the S3 Saloon.

All three A3 ranges offer a choice of exceptionally efficient, highly refined engines, including the 1.4 TFSI with Cylinder-on-Demand technology and 60.1mpg potential and the 1.6 TDI which pares CO2 output back to 99g/km. They combine these with fit, finish and equipment worthy of an executive class car, and also offer the opportunity to upgrade with sophisticated options such as Audi magnetic ride damper control, a 'hands-free' parking assistant, swivelling

adaptive cornering lights, a 705-watt Bang & Olufsen audio system, MMI touch fingertip data entry and Audi connect, bringing internet-based services to the car. In the near future, high-tech all-LED headlights will also be added to this list as an alternative to the more familiar xenon units.

Next year the A3 range will also embrace the future with its first hybrid variant – the petrol-electric A3 e-tron, capable of covering up to 188mpg while emitting as little as 35g/km of CO2 (according to the NEDC test). In the meantime, prices for the existing A3 range start from £18,280 and rise to £29,160, with the S3 and S3 Sportback priced at £30,640 and £31,260.



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## Bowls round-up

# Bridport Ladies on form

**BRIDPORT BC**  
BRIDPORT ladies had a successful journey to Blandford where they won 63-56 in County League Division One.

Frances Hewett, Alison Tibble, Rosemary Brooks and Sue Hosking recorded a 28-15 success scoring 11 of their shots over the last four ends. Laura Taylor, Christine Cowdrey, Pat Cornick and Margaret Clapp turned a 7-10 score after ten ends into a 19-14 victory.

However the County League Division One men stumbled in their quest for top honours, losing by one shot to Portland Victoria 56-57.

It all went pear shaped over the last three ends for Barry Shortland, Keith Brooks, Brian Conisbee and Chris Thorne who were leading 21-13 and then dropped counts of two, three and four shots to scrape home 21-20.

David Roberts, Tom Tocher, Bob Taylor and Brian Rumble had an up and down evening in the end tying 19-19, and then Ben Jones, Brian Iversen, Keith Gentry and Bill Payne nearly saved their bacon scoring six shots over the last four ends to only lose 16-18.

Bridport B recorded a 54-49 victory over Sherborne B in Division Two mainly due to the four of Billy Street, Norman Ludders, Allen Bird and Alan Cowdrey who won 24-15 although Peter Carnell, Philip Hedges, John Ireland and Philip Wilson pulled back from 11-16 down to tie 16-16.

The club entertained South Petherton in a mixed friendly that the visitors won 66-64.

Bridport's best rink was Alan Skelton, Margaret Fifield, John Carter and Philip Hedges who won 23-10.

Southall tourists visited Priory Lane for a mixed match which they won 122-112; best home four being Peter Carnell, Ann Fox, David Eastman and Barry Shortland who won 23-14.

**BRIDPORT INDOOR BC**  
SUE Pollack, Liz Walker and Keith Hicks

Team E were the sensations in the Evening League this week; trailing Team H 8-11 after 10 ends, they finished 2, 3, 7, 1 to win 21-11 writes *Brian Baker*.

Penny Pither, Roy Gill and Brian Baker's Team D won a last end showdown with Team J to win 17-16 and retain top spot, whilst Brian Bacchus, Keith Peraux and Adrian Legg's Team K finished 3, 1 to beat Team C 13-12.

David Drake, Bernard Waterman and Brian Legg's Team G finished 1, 1 to pip Team F 12-11, with Team L (Brian Burridge, Sue Caen and Mike Fletcher) competing the week of comebacks as they won the last seven ends to beat Team B 17-9.

Brian Toms, John Davies and Adrian Legg's Team G are now clear leaders in the Morning League after defeating Team B 13-6.

Top billing though went to Fletcher, Peter Cowburn and Bernard Winton's last placed Team D as they thumped Team F 23-3.

Jill Spinney, Kay Cox and Chris Clarke's Team H had a comfortable 16-4 win over Team J, whilst Bacchus, Arthur Stone and Margaret Pestell's Team E scored a two on the last end to draw with Peter Hawckett, Ruth Harris and Chris Everest's Team C 9-9.

**LYME REGIS BC** with *Paul Moffitt*  
THE ladies have had a busy week, two league games, a two-rink knockout and a friendly. Unfortunately their only success was in the friendly.

The men had a 8-2 win against Dorchester B, not bad but they would have hoped to secure all 10 points.

The Club played host to the Dorset Men's two-wood quarter and semi-finals on Sunday as well as the final of the Dorset under 25 two-wood singles.

In the friendlies, the ladies had a win against Chardstock whilst in the mixed games it was one win against Cardiff but a loss against the Southall & District tourists.

In the June Culpin knockout Cup Lyme ladies came up against a strong team from Poole Park going down by 26 shots to 45.

**West Dorset Men Division 1**  
**LYME 64; DORCHESTER B 56.**

T Allman, E Skeemer, C Barber, D Meylan 11-21; G Broom, P Eagles, K Hickman, P Moffitt 29-19; J Eaton, S Pomeroy, B Rattenbury, P Pomeroy 24-16.

**Dorset Ladies Division 1**  
**LYME 46; WEST MOORS 68.**

J Moffitt, S Rowe, M Gillett, K Clissold 12-21; H Dowling, D Courtenay-Smith, A Allman, C Barber 12-25; J Parsons, S Cox, L Broom, N Stephens 22-22.

**LYME 37; BROADSTONE 46.**

J Moffitt, S Rowe, M Gillett, K Clissold 10-14; H Dowling, M Bartlett, A Allman, C Barber 11-17; J Parsons, S Cox, L Broom, N Stephens 16-15.

**June Culpin Knockout Cup:**  
**LYME 26; POOLE PARK 45.**

J Parsons, A Allman, L Broom, N Stephens 20-16; H Dowling, M Gillett, K Clissold, C Barber 6-29.

**FRIENDLIES**  
**LYME LADIES 45; CHARDSTOCK LADIES 37.**

Y Moody, J Barnish, C Barber 9-21; J Bishop, S Cox, M Gillett 14-8; M Bartlett, J Kesterton, J Moffitt 22-8.

**LYME 121; CARDIFF 85.**

S Wood, P Stephens, C Bell, B Parsons 17-10; R McLennan, M Gillett, J Parsons, D Wood 19-16; B Downes, J Kesterton, N Benson, A Preece 14-19; M Bartlett, B Burton, A Weech, E Skeemer 26-15; S Dowling, D Courtenay-Smith, P Weech, D Meylan 25-7; P Cole, B Smith, H Dowling, B Rattenbury 20-18.

**LYME 112; SOUTHALL & DISTRICT TOUR 125.**  
P Cole, S Cox, G Clode, N Stephens 18-16; C Clissold, V Cozens, P Stephens, R Legg 23-20; J Barnish, J Hare, M Gillett, A Preece 22-20; Y Moody, A Foster, M Thorne, Chris Barber 15-17; A Lole, A Brown, P Weech, J Beadsley 12-27; P Ward, J Brown, G Cozens, K Clissold 22-25.

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## Duo denied win by clutch problem

REX Ireland and Adrian Scadding almost pulled off a superb victory in the sixth stage of the BTRDA Silver Star Championships held at the Royal Welsh Showground at Builth Wells recently.

The searing heat didn't help the pair who competed in the seven Nicky Grist Stages, but Ireland from Axminster, and co-driver Scadding from Bridport were holding third in class after four stages when the clutch slave cylinder was knocked off when they hit a large stone on the course.

Despite no clutch the duo maintained their times differential with those around them. Ireland performed miracles in stage five and unbelievably moved up to second at the end of the fifth stage. Even more amazingly with co-pilot Scadding guiding him.

They produced a fantastic time in the penultimate run (Halfway 2) to take a lead of 12 seconds into the last stage.

Their luck ran out though on the final run and with the gear box now jammed in fourth, they lost

over two minutes in time as they struggled over the line which dropped them down to fifth in class for the event.

However with three rounds to go they are still front-runners in the H2. Ireland who has competed in five of the six events so far leads the H2 Driver class by a wide margin and appears almost certain to

win, whilst Scadding who was only able to compete in three, leads the H2 Co-driver list comfortably.

In the Historic Cup, which includes all the H classes, Ireland is second and Scadding third overall.

The next round takes place on August 31st at Ludlow Racecourse.



◆ **HOPES DASHED:** Driver Rex Ireland (left) and co-driver Adrian Scadding who has victory snatched away from them by clutch problems.

## Lyme Regis Golf news

WITH RICHARD JACKMAN

## Joey's magnificent +7 lands Langmoor Trophy

THE men played a Bogey competition for the **Langmoor Trophy** and was won by Joey Thirlwell with an exceptional score of +7 from James Phillips (2nd) and Richard Lawrence (3rd) both with +5.

**Ladies captain's day** was played in wonderful weather and was very well supported, as the ladies played a team competition in 3s.

Cyndy Mudford, Anita Holmes and Val Waites came 1st with 77 points.

Meanwhile, 2nd 3rd and 4th places were all decided on countback with

76 points; 2nd - Di Smith, Mary Golding and Hayley Rowland, 3rd - Susan Moore, Caroline Baker and Rosie Jackman, 4th Jane Dixon, Lizzie Linert, and Emma Davies.

**Wight back on leader board**

The **Junior captain's day** stableford competition was won by Dorset County Junior Stuart Wight with 39 points on countback from George Yorke with Lewis Gibbons 3rd with 37 points.

It is good to see Stuart back on the

leader board after an exceptional year last year that saw his handicap fall dramatically.

In last Sunday's **July Stableford** it was three single figure seniors who coped best with the conditions in Division One as David Lock pipped Mike Mudford, both on 41 points with Peter Mayles a close 3rd with 40.

Division Two was a more clear cut affair as Patrick Duke's 41 points saw off Lloyd Cleal, 38 and John McGinley 36.

## Weekend cup double for 'scintilating' Seasideers

A GREAT weekend for the Lyme Regis Football Club Under 16 side was capped by a second tournament victory in as many days on Sunday.

On Saturday the team took a side to the Col-lumpton six-a-side Tournament as defending champions.

After topping their group with three wins and a draw The Seasideers scraped through the semi-final on penalties with Stefan Taylor smashing the deciding spot-kick in off the underside of the bar.

The final against Wellington was also a tight affair and it was not until extra-time that Rhys Hayter broke the deadlock and the boys finished strongly to complete a 1-0 victory.

There was no such drama on Sunday in the prestigious Honiton Tournament as the team produced some scintillating football to win the league by six clear points, recording five wins and a draw to dominate the league format competition.

Manager Mark Bailey said: "Despite some physical resistance the opposition were full of compliments for the short, quick passing style that we were able to entertain the crowd with."

The squad over the two days consisted of; Fred Parsons, Ritchie Legg, George Reynolds, Rhys Hayter, Lewis Middleton, Kingsley Wellman, Stefan Taylor, Callum Larcombe and the prolific Declan Ellis.

## Bridport Table Skittles Odds & Sods 'on the frontier'

### Roll of Honour - 2013 season

**League winners** - Odds & Sods (Knapp Inn), runners-up - BSC (Bradpole Club).

**Beer Cup winners** - Thorns (Thorncombe Club).

**Wooden Spoon** - Dirty Dogs (Greyhound).

**Knockout Cup winners** - Thorns, runners-up - Odds & Sods.

**Landlords Cup winners** - Rogues A (Social club), runners-up - BSC.

**Pam Corbett Cup Winner** - R.Tick (Outsiders, Knapp Inn), runner-up - D.Best (Odds & Sods).

**G.Higgins Cup winner** - K.Rowley (Odds & Sods), runner-up - M.Gudge (Rogues).

**Rose Bowl winner** - T.Gibson (Thorns), runner-up - S.Newman (Royal Rogues).

**Singles winner** - R.Tuck (Outsiders), Runner-up - T.Gibson (Thorns).

**Pairs winners** - N.Willis & B.Frampton (Outsiders), runners-up - B.Rendall & C.Thomer (BSC).

**Trebles winners** - Odds & Sods, runners-up - Thorns.

**A.Wotton Cup winners** - Royal Rogues, runners-up - BSC.

**O.Dunford Shield winners** - Royal Rogues, runners-up - Odds & Sods.

**Nomination winner** - R.Tuck (Outsiders), runner-up - N.Willis (Outsiders).

**Mixed Pairs winners** - T & M Obern (Odds & Sods), runners-up - S.Frost & D.Best (Odds & Sods).

**Highest shot-out winner** - N.Hawker (Thorns).

■ **SEAM-UP:**  
Uplyme & Lyme Regis 2nd XI all-rounder Brad Rowe tests a Shobrooke Park batsmen in Saturday's 172-run defeat at sun-kissed All Saints Ground.  
*Photo by HOWARD LARCOMBE*



## Beaminster & District Darts League

# Four cups for Untouchables

**Roll of Honour - 2013**  
**Mens League winners** - Untouchables (Bradpole Club), runners-up - Reeds Rangers (Bradpole Club).  
**Beer Cup winners** - Untouchables.  
**Wooden Spoon winners** - King Charles Tavern.  
**Ladies League winners** - Outsiders, runners-up - Harleys Angels (Knapp Inn).  
**Ladies Beer Cup winners** - Outsiders.  
**Ladies Wooden Spoon** - No Hope (Knapp Inn).  
**Brutton cup winners** - Untouchables, runners-up - Concivts (Crewkerne).

**Queen Elizabeth Cup winners** - Harleys Angels, runners-up - Jacky's Jesters.

**Usher Cup winners** - Untouchables, runners-up - Reeds Rangers.

**President's Cup winners** - Harley's Angels, runners-up - Outsiders.

**Mens Pairs winners** - P.Lawrence & G.Taylor (Convicts), runners-up - G.Knight & G.Taylor (Untouchables).

**Ladies Pairs winners** - L.Vowles & M.Trenchard (Outsiders), runners-up - J.Knight & B.Legg (Outsiders).

**Mixed Pairs winners** - J.Knight & C.Topp (Outsiders), runners-up -

T.Matthews & S.James (Untouchables).

**Mens Singles winner** - T.Poole (Untouchables), runner-up - P.Lawrence (Convicts).

**Mens Highest shot-out** - N.Goldstone (Shanghai).

**Mens 180:** S.Harwood (Reeds Rangers).

**Ladies 180:** Mandy Garrett (Knapp Inn) and M.Trenchard (Outsiders).

**Mens Most Individual Wins** - G.Knight (Untouchables).

**Ladies Most Individual Wins** - L.Vowles and M.Trenchard (both Outsiders).



## INSIDE EDGE - The Dorset cricket scene

WITH STUART BROOM

## Dorchester slump continues as they drop to bottom

DORCHESTER are finding it hard to get off the bottom spot in the Dorset Funeral League Plan League Division One.

After crawling above Weymouth last week, the county town missing several regulars returned to the basement after they were comprehensively beaten by Fern-down Wayfarers.

Weymouth failed to snatch a morale boosting victory when they went down by just one run against Stalbridge.

Cattistock continue their assault on Division Three with Lee Anderson taking 6-24 as they crushed Wimborne & Colehill 3rds whilst Bridport skipper Liam Toohill led his side from the front with another excellent all round display.

Charlton Down celebrated going top of Division Six with a record score of 312 against Beaminster 2nds with Jae Miller just missing a century by two runs.

**Dorset Funeral Plan League Premier League**

**FERNDOWN WAYFARERS 192-2 BEAT DORCHESTER 188 ALL OUT BY 8 WICKETS**

THIS comprehensive defeat sent Dorchester to the bottom again. Bowled out for 188, the county town did not have the resources to combat the fine batting of Eric Linge and James Raftery whose unbroken third wicket stand of 134 saw Wayfarers scoot home with more than 15 overs to spare.

Colin Edney (11) and stand-in captain Pete Moxom made a steady start.

But after Edney fell leg before to Linge (2-33), Rhys Cole (0) and Sam Goodhew (8) were both run out to leave Dorchester 54-3. When Moxom went for 42 with the score on 78-4 it was left to Marcus Evans (54), promoted up the order, to hold the innings together.

However his half century was not enough as Andy Armstrong (3-37) and Dean Elsworthy (3-33) saw Dorchester oost a meagre total of 188 all out.

Although Elsworthy (4) went early, and Neil Sexton (15) was leg before to James Dunham (2-35), Raftery (55 not out) and particularly Linge (91 not out) were in imperious form and saw the hosts home to a comfortable victory.

**STALBRIDGE 237 ALL OUT BEAT WEYMOUTH 236-8 BY 1 RUN**

WEYMOUTH came so close to gaining a victory that would have not only help pull them away from relegation, but also restore their confidence.

Requiring five off the last over, they could only scramble three.

Stuart Sweatman (63) and Rob Burfitt (81) laid the platform for victory with a century opening stand and with Ed Clements adding 36 they were in a really commanding position at 162-1.

However, Harry Tucker struck twice in quick succession and

with the returning Ben Lawes (5-34) and Dave Trotter (2-24) hitting the spot, Stalbridge capitulated to 237 all out.

Dean Janaway (16) and Paul Payne (47) made a solid start in reply before Payne and Lawes added 102 for the second wicket to put Weymouth in pole position, but as with Stalbridge the rest fell away and they desperately ended short of their target.

**Division One**

**SHROTON 323-9 BEAT MARTINSTOWN 224-6 BY 99 RUNS**

MARTINSTOWN suffered an unexpected defeat at the hands of Shroton finding themselves on the wrong end of a big total to chase.

Winning the toss Shroton made a steady start but it was the fourth wicket partnership of 186 between M Pike (105) and K Westlake (67) that took the game their way. Martinstown skipper Danny Dancer (4-61) finally broke the stand, bowling both and removing Wooldridge (6) to slow the hosts down, but the damage had been done as they finished their 50 overs on 323-9; Stuart Fry (2-28) and Liam Banfield (2-38) bagging a brace each.

Dave Herbert was in dominant form when Martinstown replied and he and Ed Nicholls (18) put on an opening partnership of 94 before Herbert was caught for 67, and innings which included ten 4's and a six. Nichols was bowled on the same score and when Fry went for one, they were suddenly 95-3.

Sensible and strong batting from Sam Kershaw (43), Dancer (34) and Lee House (22) ensured they picked up maximum batting points, but in the end they were well beaten.

**Division Two**

**BEAMINSTER 250-6 LOST TO WITCHAMPTON 253-5 BY 5 WICKETS**

WITH just ten men, two of those young sons of Mark Barber, Beaminster were always going to struggle, although they came much closer than they might have expected with Witchampton only claiming victory with ten balls left.

Batting first Simon Jones and Hugh Rathbone (18) gave Beaminster a solid start with a stand of 69 before the latter was caught off of Broom.

A second wicket partnership of 150 between Jones, who finally fell for a splendid 103 in what is believed to have been Beaminster's first league century in 11 years, and skipper Will Everitt (56) gave them hope of posting a reasonable target.

But wickets began to tumble with Everitt's dismissal soon after reaching his half-century, although they finally posted 250-6 in their allotted overs.

Beaminster suffered the lack of a genuine opening fast bowler with Ross Baker missing, and Ashford (12) and Whitmore (22) put

on an opening half-century stand.

Walklett (2-48) dismissed Broom (8) to leave the visitors 78-3, but it was the fourth wicket partnership of 126 between Adam Crocker and Mark Bowles, who both scored 71, that won Witchampton the game, although they were made to fight all the way for their victory.

**Division Three**

**WIMBORNE & COLEHILL 3RD 54 ALL OUT LOST TO CATTISTOCK 58-1**

**BY 9 WICKETS**

CATTISTOCK drew alongside Dorchester 2nd's in second spot virtue of winning a point more in an easy victory over Wimborne & Colehill 3rds.

The hosts, having decided to bat, were decimated by the bowling of Lee Anderson (6-24) and Martin Langford (4-32) as they were skittled out for just 54 all out in 21 overs.

There was a shock when Cattistock batted when the prolific Jon Legg was bowled with the first ball of the innings.

But Steve Tucker made short work of the total when he joined Billy Walbridge (10 not out). Tucker hit eight 4s and a six in just 28 balls, to finish with 46 not out as Cattistock passed their target in 6.2 overs.



◆ **HALF-DOZEN:** Lee Anderson took 6 for 24 in Cattistock victory

**DORCHESTER 2ND 136-8 BEAT BRADFORD WAYFARERS 2ND 135**

**ALL OUT BY 2 WICKETS**

DORCHESTER 2nds maintained their pressure on Cerne Valley at the top with a narrow two wicket win over Ferndown Wayfarers 2nds.

Fielding first, captain Stuart Beasley (3-36) made an early strike, but Rob Bowering (24), Alex Samson (20) and Jake Brooks (19) had looked to have built a good platform for the visitors.

However, Adam Rendell (3-29) ripped out the middle order and with Steve Gerety claiming 2-15, Ferndown's innings closed on 135 all out.

Dorchester's innings followed the same pattern losing Gerety (1) early on.

Will Chutter (37), with help from

Ian Legg (13), Dan Morris (18) and Rendell (11), looked to have put Dorchester in the driving seat.

But Dave Ballam (4-22) and Bowering (3-45) pegged them back.

Ollie Bennett (15 not out) and Stuart Voss (20) then appeared to have seen them home but when Voss and Beasley (1) suddenly departed it was left to Bennett and Matt Porter (8 not out) to drag them over the line.

**WEYMOUTH 2ND 148 ALL OUT LOST TO STALBRIDGE 2ND 212-9 BY 64 RUNS**

**Division Four**

**POOLE TOWN 3RD 178 ALL OUT LOST TO BRIDPORT 180-2 BY 8 WICKETS**

BRIDPORT skipper Liam Toohill continued his recent good form with bat and ball with a superb 90 not out after ripping out the top of the Poole Town batting.

Pilley (13) and Allman (3) had made a cautious start for Poole before Alex Lee struck, having the former caught by Will Meech. Toohill then bowled both Talbot (1) and Dimpleby for a duck to leave the hosts 17-3. Alex Lee (3-33) and Toohill (3-24) continued to wreak havoc as Poole slumped to 38-6.

However, with both having completed their 12 over spells and Bridport a man short, J Robinson (44) and P Macdiarmid (48) began to rebuild the innings and with Cotton (23), Poole finally reached 177 all out after 42 overs with Toby Hall (2-15) claiming the last two wickets.

Bridport quickly lost the normally reliable Rod Gay for a duck with the score on four, but opener Mark Smith and Toohill responded with a splendid second wicket stand of 143 to put them within spitting distance before Smith departed for a solid 49.

Duane Gay joined Toohill and immediately crashed a quick 21 not out to deny his skipper what would have been a well-earned century.

The victory sees Bridport comfortably sat in second place behind Wareham.

**Division Five North & West**

**BRADFORD ABBAS 320-4 BEAT DORCHESTER 3RD 171 ALL OUT BY 149 RUNS**

DORCHESTER 3rds were well beaten by Bradford Abbas, losing by 149 runs.

The defeat, their 10th in 11 games; having scratched from the other; leaves them further adrift at the bottom with Martinstown 2nds having beaten Portland RT 2nds

**MARTINSTOWN 2ND 237 ALL OUT BEAT PORTLAND RT 2ND 191 ALL OUT BY 46 RUNS**

**Division Six**

**CHARLTON DOWN 312 ALL OUT BEAT BEAMINSTER 2ND 84 ALL OUT BY 224 RUNS**

CHARLTON Down continued

their fine run of form, completing their 10th league win of the season, which elevated them to the top of Division Six.

Charlton Down won the toss and elected to bat on the hottest day of the season so far, and soon got into a good rhythm; the lightening outfield ensuring the new ball disappeared to the boundary at regular intervals.

The century partnership came up in the 12th over with a perfectly timed cover drive by Sam Roles (42) who was the first wicket to fall; feathering a leg side catch to wicketkeeper Lewis Milton; and becoming one of four victims for the evergreen Terry Field (4-58).

A fifty run partnership between Luke Voss and Jae Miller was ended when Miller on 98 was given out lbw, his chanceless innings include 18 fours and one six.

The score of 167-2 in the 21st over soon became 198-7 by the 30th as Field and Justin Gurd (5-78) brought the game back towards Beaminster.

But Matt Stevens and Rob Deadman had other ideas - the pair crashed 63 runs in only nine overs.

Deadman was particularly brutal as he hit seven boundaries in his 35 off only 20 balls before falling leg before off Dave Penfold with the score on 262-9.

A last wicket stand of exactly 50 between Stevens and Pete Tucker pushed the score past the 300 mark to a record score of 312.

Stevens batting for over an hour, remained unbeaten on 67 which included 12 boundaries to complete his third half century of the season.

The Beaminster reply could not have got off to a worse as they lost Will Aburrows (0), caught by Luke Voss off his brother Nick's (4-22) bowling, and then Stevens (2-11) had Dave Hall well caught by the impressive wicketkeeper Rob Deadman with the score on 8-2.

The Beaminster reply was then in tatters as Voss and Stevens



◆ **IN-FORM:** Rob Deadman put in a good display behind the stumps.

claimed a further five wickets to leave them reeling on 30-7.

Young wicketkeeper Milton decided the best form of defence would be attack and hit a quick fire and entertaining 29 with the help of Dave Penman (17), and young Lewis Gurd (2); the Beaminster innings eventually closing on 84 all out.

Captain Tucker said: "The overall result did not reflect the game.

"If it were not for the incredible start that Miller and Roles had given us, and some great batting latterly from Stevens and Deadman, the game could have been much different.

"It was the best innings I have ever seen Miller bat; not giving a chance; but his raw power was replaced by shot placement and timing.

"Matt Stevens produced more evidence of his all rounder status in the team, whilst Nick Voss turned in his best bowling display (4-22) and is really starting to deliver a good opening spell of bowling each week.

"Most pleasing was the quality batting and wicketkeeping performance of Rob Deadman."

**Sunday Division Three**

**WINTON 2ND 282-4 BEAT SYMENE 176 ALL OUT BY 106 RUNS**

Winton 2nds strengthened by the inclusion of five first team players made Symene toil in the hot sun when they batted.

Although Ollie Lee Had Clark caught behind early on, M Kitson (83) and S Daini (60), produced a stand in excess of 150 for the second wicket before Graham Bartlett finally removed both batsmen.

As Symene wilted the hosts took advantage with George Wright (76 not out) to rack up 282-4 in their allotted overs.

Symene lost two early wickets, but a useful stand in the region of 80 between Joe Hawkins (42) and Phil Hawkins (48) gave them hope of a reasonable score and more batting points.

However, Winton had a first teamer Kitson (5-16) up their sleeve and he picked up a "fivefor" as Symene crashed with only a late flourish from skipper Bartlett (19) showing resistance.



◆ **GREAT KNOCK:** Jae Miller



## Youth cricket

### Woodroffe & Uplyme run out comfortable winners

WOODROFFE & Uplyme Under 13s ran out comfortable winners against their Beaminster counterparts in their Dorset League game at the King George V Field, Uplyme, last week.

Home skipper Sam Norton won the toss and decided to bowl first with the spin attack of Daley Holmes and Felix Ransford.

Holmes made an early breakthrough but with Beaminster looking comfortable on 47-1 it wasn't until the introduction of pace bowler David Stead that Uplyme gained success.

Stead bowled the next three batsmen including top scorer Jason Nottley for 22 and with Henry Davey taking a good catch at gully Beaminster slumped to 52 for 5. Two further runs followed as Beaminster finished on 67-7.

Norton and Jamie Hannaford opening the innings for the hosts but on 13 for the first wicket before Hannaford was bowled by Fergus Rees.

Norton was joined by Zac Chandler and the pair set about their task with some fine shots

and some good running between the wickets.

Norton retired on 25 but Davey (17 not out) continued the attack and together with Chandler (13 not out) they achieved their target with ten overs to spare.

This proved to be Woodroffe & Uplyme's fifth consecutive win in the West Dorset League; their only defeat being at the hands of a very strong Bournemouth School for Boys in the Dorset Schools cup.

Beaminster coach Ross Baker said: "It's been a very tough first year for the under 13s half of them are under 11."

"However, they have improved greatly in the last three games with Jason Nottley, Lewis Keenan and Harry Kilcolyne consistently getting runs.

"Hopefully with everyone being a year older, and with the experience of this season, we should progress and be more competitive in the future."



◆ GOOD WIN: Woodroffe & Uplyme under 13s with coach Eddie Clarke



◆ IMPROVING: The Beaminster U13s pictured with coach Ross Baker (right) and his assistant Jack Walklett

# Busy time for local swimmers

CHARD & District Swimming Club have been busy of late with local-based members participating in their own Club Gala as well as competing in the South West Regional Sprints Championships at Gloucester and the South West Regional Open water Championships in Weymouth writes Hannah Pullinger.

Eight of the club's top swimmers did their club proud and achieved many personal best times when they competed in all four strokes over 50m sprints and the 100m Individual Medley in the sprint championships.

All eight were placed in the top 15 in their respective age groups; Hannah Pullinger (17), swimming in the open age group achieved the best overall placing coming 5th, with Luke van den Barselaar also 17, coming 7th in the boy's open age group.

Other placings were: Melissa Hanson 9th, Jamie Pullinger 10th, Joe Spurway 10th, Dan Andrews 11th, Ben Fowler 14th, Oliver Bilbie 15th. On an equally hot day two other Chard & District swimmers braved the open water at the ASA South West Open Water Championships held at Weymouth.

With delays at the start due to fog and despite the hot weather on land, sea temperatures of only 14.7 degrees; below the recommended temperature for such events; some competitors found it too cold to compete.

Lauren van den Barselaar (15), swimming in her first open water event was not however deterred, and swam to a splendid third place

overall in her age group (Girls 15-18 years) in the 1.5km event in a time of 26.40.64 and was also placed first of the Somerset swimmers in her age group.

Paul Harrison also swam and achieved first place out of the Somerset swimmers in the 14 years and under Boys age group, in a time of 25.26.82. Both were presented with certificates and medals.

◆ OVER 70 swimmers ranging from 7 to 16 years took part in the club's third gala held at the Flamingo Pool in Axminster.

At the start of the Gala special presentations of Junior League badges were made for three, six and nine appearances at these league galas to a number of swimmers, whilst

Henry Taswell and Abi Bonning will both receive special Junior League medals for representing the club at the maximum number of galas during their time in the Junior squad.

Some excellent swims secured a Silver Speed Badge for Leo Kindred and Oliver Rodger in the 12-year age group, for swimming under 36 seconds for the first time in the 50m freestyle.

Gala Results: (winners only)

8 & Under Events  
Boys 25m Breaststroke: 1st Freddie Coles; Boys 25m Backstroke: 1st Freddie Coles; Girls 25m Freestyle: 1st Esme Huntley; Girls 25m Butterfly: 1st Jasmine McAuley

◆ GIRLS 50 BACKSTROKE  
Open: 1st Melissa Hanson; 13/14 Years: 1st Hope Horsfield; 12 Years: 1st Jess Fowler; 11 Years: 1st Xanthe Dyer; 10 Years: 1st Eden Mc-

Donald; 9 Years: 1st Abi Greenslade  
◆ BOYS 50 BREASTSTROKE  
Open: 1st Joe Spurway; 13/14 Years: 1st Iain Ross; 12 Years: 1st Leo Kindred; 11 Years: 1st Joss Copeman; 10 Years: 1st Louis Rood; 9 Years: 1st Joe Shrubbs

◆ GIRLS 200 BACKSTROKE  
Open: 1st Tessa Down; 13/14 Years: 1st Elisha Hawkins; 12 Years: 1st Jess Fowler; 11 Years: 1st Xanthe Dyer; 10 Years: 1st Eden McDonald; 9 Years: 1st Abi Greenslade

◆ BOYS 200 FREESTYLE  
Open: 1st Luke van den Barselaar; 13/14 Years: 1st Lewis Pearson; 12 Years: 1st Henry Taswell 11 Years: 1st Joss Copeman 10 Years: 1st Louis Rood; 9 Years: 1st Cole Dickinson

◆ GIRLS 100 FREESTYLE  
Open: 1st Melissa Hanson; 13/14 Years: 1st Elisha Hawkins; 12 Years: 1st Jess Fowler; 11 Years: 1st Xanthe Dyer; 10 Years: 1st Eden McDonald; 9 Years: 1st Abi Greenslade

◆ BOYS 100 BACKSTROKE  
Open: 1st Ben Fowler; 13/14 Years: 1st Lewis Pearson; 12 Years: 1st Henry Taswell; 11 Years: 1st Joss Copema; 10 Years: 1st Jamie Porter; 9 Years: 1st Cole Dickinson

◆ BOYS 100 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY  
Open: 1st Joe Spurway; 13/14 Years: 1st Lewis Pearson; 12 Years: 1st Henry Taswell; 11 Years: 1st Joss Copeman; 10 Years: 1st Louis Rood; 9 Years: 1st Cole Dickinson Girls Novice 25m 1st Mia Huntley; Girls Novice 50m 1st Sarah Underwood; Boys Novice 25m 1st Cole Dickinson; Boys Novice 50m 1st Leo Kindred

◆ JUNE Swimmer of the Month winners, Elisha Hawkins (13), on

achieving her first national qualifying time in the 200m breaststroke, and Joss Copeman (11) for the most progress points during June, were presented by head coach June Turner.



◆ MOST IMPROVED: Joss Copeland (11) who won the Boy's Swimmer of the Month trophy for most improvement at galas during June

◆ FINALLY, we would like to apologise to 11-year-old Oliver Rodger for missing his name from the recent report on our Chard & Clevedon Open Meet.

Oliver swam very well and achieved top eight medals in his age in both his events, coming 4th in the boy's 50m freestyle and 8th in the 200m breaststroke.

## Equestrian

# Ewell on top form despite the heat

DESPITE the heat members and supporters who turned out for Lamberts Castle Riding Club's dressage and barbecue in East Devon recently described the event as relaxed and successful.

Fortunately the hot weather had cooled in time for the 5pm start, allowing riders and horses to compete comfortably at the Dalwood event.

The first of the three tests, Intro B, saw Christine Hill take top spot with Vicky Hammond finishing second; Chloe Day and Rebecca Harding took third and fourth, respectively.

Georgina Ewell took first and second on two rides in the Prelim 4 test, followed by Rosie Wharton, Alice Wyatt, Hill and Pippa Wyatt.

On top form that evening, Ewell also took first and second place in the Prelim 14. She was followed on the leader board by Wharton, Alice Wyatt, Pippa Wyatt and Steph Bere.

The club would like to thank committee member Fiona Bengier and her husband, Tony, for their hospitality at White Lodge for the dressage event after which a delicious barbecue was enjoyed by riders, families and friends.

◆ HOT WORK: Alice Wyatt who was placed fourth in Prelim 4 and Prelim 14 goes through her routine



## Sea Angling

# Connor wins inaugural Dawe trophy

CONNOR Hallett was the winner of the inaugural Frank and Peggy Dawe Memorial Trophy in the latest junior match to be fished.

Frank who sadly passed away last year, was a keen supporter of the junior section as was his late wife Peggy who passed away in 2005.

It was therefore a fitting tribute to the both of them that the match attracted an all time record attendance of 23 juniors.

Fine summer weather also made a welcome appearance with warm and sunny conditions with calm seas and a slight sea breeze.

Fishing still proved to be tough due to the late spring and persistent May water which has lasted into July this year.

Leading West Bay junior and England squad member Connor Hallett took an early lead with a corkwing wrasse and continued to maintain this lead with four further fish including two legal-sized shore rockling.

Only five other juniors weighed-in with Keiran Ellison coming in second with two fish and single each for the remain-

ing four including a third place for lady junior member Tiana Foot.

### Poisonous

Species on the day included wrasse, shanny, rockling, flounder and a couple of poisonous weever fish.

Juniors are well trained in the identification of these weever fish which are handed to the steward for careful unhooking, weighing and releasing.

New juniors are issued ID cards and made aware of the fish which can inflict a nasty sting with serious swelling.

Anglers are advised to familiarise themselves with the species which will be increasing in numbers at this time of year in order to avoid any accidents.

The junior section would like the thank Tiny and the Dawe

family for presenting the new trophy and for sponsoring first prize of a tackle voucher.

◆ Full results: 1st: Connor Hallett 313g (164g legal-sized), 2nd: Keiran Ellison 99g, 3rd: Tiana Foot 68g, Heaviest flat: Tiana Foot 68g flounder, Heaviest round: Connor Hallett 83g shore rockling, First, last and smallest fish: Connor Hallett, Heaviest weever: Harry Courtice 32g, Most species: Connor Hallett - three

Sponsors on the day were: Richard 'Tiny' Daw and family, Watchouse Cafe, Kay Guppy, Kirsty Hallett, Sheila Ford, Style Tiles and Lynn Mudford.

Junior competitions continue every fortnight on East Pier, West Bay 12 noon - 3pm. Beginners welcome; see website for further details.

◆ FIRST WINNER: Connor Hallett receives the trophy from Richard "Tiny" Dawe after his win





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## INSIDE: Comprehensive local sport round-up

### Builder is Bees shirt sponsor

BRIDPORT Football Club shirts will carry the name of local builder Darren Poole Limited across their front next season after they were the first name pulled out by manager Trevor Senior at the draw made last Saturday at the Beehive.

A total of 64 businesses entered the draw with Bridport Coachworks, a very late entry, drawing second prize, a half page advert in the programme for the season.

MAC Building Contractors Ltd won the ball sponsorship to the first home game of the season together with two complimentary tickets for being Drawn third, whilst Harbour Bonfield Garage get to drown their sorrows with a bottle of whisky for being fourth out the drum.

Every sponsor that entered will receive a quarterly newsletter from the club.

Chairman Adrian Scadding said: "I was very pleased with the number of entries considering the current financial climate and would like to thank all

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the entrants for their continued support of the club."

Winner Darren Poole, player-manager of Lyme Regis Bantams, said: "I'm delighted to have won the opportunity to appear on the front of the Bees shirts, and wish them every success for the coming season."

The draw took place after Bridport had beaten Bournemouth Poppies 4-1 in another impressive pre-season game to follow on from victories over Romsey Town and Portland United.

Poppies, late replacements after Bridgend had cried off earlier in the week, proved tough opponents.

Assistant manager Kevin Leigh said: "Poppies started well and were very bright upfront and were very useful all around the park."

"Having said that I thought we played very well especially when you

consider we had a number on players unavailable.

"We tried to get everybody involved, and played Matt Morley on the left hand side and he did very well.

"He was excellent offensively and attacked well and used his speed to great effect and scored an excellent first goal. He then produced an excellent cross for Russell Legg to head home for the second."

Poppies pulled a goal back just after the break when a superb cross was headed home at the far post, but Bridport stepped up a gear to boss the remainder of the game.

Bridport made a number of changes in the second-half, and Matt Condliffe benefitted to being pushed up front by scoring the third before Tom Richardson, who once again worked really hard, was rewarded with the fourth goal.

"Tom worked his socks off again whilst the midfield played well with each other with Morley and Jamie



**■ NEW SHIRT SPONSOR:**  
Bridport's new shirt sponsor Darren Poole (second left) is congratulated by chairman Adrian Scadding and watched by manager Trevor Senior (left) and club secretary Chris Tozer holding the winning ticket

Filkins both playing the wide role really well.

"All in all, a very satisfying result in which our fitness once again showed in the very hot conditions.

"We now have competition with two or three players in each position which is really good."

Before the game the reserves and third team played each other in a

practice match with the reserves winning 6-4.

Leigh added: "It was a competitive match with some play from both sides."

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